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SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above :—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1882.
1. ROME	5032	1000	G. F. Cates	19th Jan.
2. SERAPIS	3116	600	E. Ashdown	26th ,,
3. PESHAWUR	3800	600	R. Baker	2nd Feb.
4. HYDASPES	2284	500	R. Harvey	9th ,,
5. SIAM	3026	500	A. H. Johnson	16th ,,
6. VENETIA	2726	450	A. B. Daniell	23rd ,,
7. KAISAR-I-HIND	4023	700	J. Babot	2nd March.
8. MALWA	2959	500	G. W. Atkinson	9th ,,
9. MIRZAPORE	3387	600	C. G. Perrins	16th ,,
10. BOKHARA	2982	500	J. Orman	23rd ,,
11. POONA	3130	550	———	30th ,,
12. CATHAY	2983	500	W. M. Robbie	6th April.
13. ROMAN	5032	1000	G. F. Cates	13th ,,
14. ASSAM	3038	500	G. W. Bradley	20th ,,
15. DECCAN	3439	550	W. A. Seaton	27th ,,

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-head, at Mazagon, at 2 p.m. on the day of sailing.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, PORTSAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, and MARSEILLES, by every sailing. The Steamers marked (L.) proceeded direct to London calling at Plymouth. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Venice, Trieste, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

Return Tickets are now issued at reduced rates as under: THREE MONTHS—From date of departure to that of return.

	Via Brindisi, both ways.	Via Brindisi, one way.	Via London, both ways.
First Class .. Rs.	900	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 1,050
Second Class. Rs.	600	Rs. 650	Rs. 600
SIX MONTHS.			
First Class .. Rs.	1,150	Rs. 1,200	Rs. 1,250
Second Class. Rs.	600	Rs. 650	Rs. 700

STEAM TO PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, & SYDNEY, CALLING AT CEYLON.

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1882.
BANGALORE	2242	450	C. Fraser	27th Jan.
DECCAN	3439	550	W. A. Seaton	10th Feb.
KHIVA	2939	450	M. DeHorne	24th ,,

Return Tickets are now issued	1st Class. Rs.	2nd Class. Rs.
To K. George's Sound, Adelaide, Melbourne or Sydney and back (available for nine months)	600	375
To Galle and back (available for two months)	150	75
To Penang or Singapore and back do.	450	225

Passengers for Australia change steamers at Galle. A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-head, at Mazagon, at 3 p. m., on the day of sailing.

F. D. PARKER, Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, Jan. 5th, 1882.

NOTICE.

THE s. s. ROME, 5,000 tons, 1,000 H.P., will leave Bombay for London on 19th January and 13th April, 1882.

F. D. PARKER, Superintendent P. & O. S. N. Co.

28th Dec., 1881.

P. AND O. COMPANY.

THREE MONTHLY RETURN TICKETS.

EXTENSION OF TIME.

DURING the continuation of Quarantine in Egypt and Italy, the duration of these tickets will be extended to cover any loss of time on the voyage to Brindisi and Venice.

F. D. PARKER, Superintendent.

RUBATTINO STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

THE Regular Mail-steamers, under contract with Italian Government, leave GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th and on the 1st of each month, calling at LEGHORN, NAPLES, MESSINA, CATANIA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN and vice versa.

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY

To all Ports of Italy.		To Marseilles.	
I Class .. R. 500	Including wines.	I Class .. R. 520	Including wines.
II do. .. 340		II do. .. 330	
III do. .. 140	Without food.	III do. .. 145	Without food.

Children under 3 years, free of charge.
Children not above 10 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE OF CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Hand-books. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be ascertained from the Agent.

The following or other 1st Class Steamers will leave Bombay :—

MANILLA, on Wednesday, the 1st February, 1882.
SUMATRA, on Wednesday, the 1st March, 1882.

Passengers and heavy baggage are carried on board, free of charge, by the Company's steam launch, leaving Apollo Bunder between 10 and 11 a.m.

Through Railway Tickets to London, available for 12 days.

From Genoa,	I Class	Calais Route.	R. 95	Brighton Route	R. 80
	II do.	do.	70	do.	58
From Naples,	I do.	do.	145	do.	130
	II do.	do.	105	do.	93

For Hand-books of Information, rates of Freight, &c. apply to

F. BOZZONI, Agent, Rubattino S. N. Company, Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.

Bombay, January 3, 1882.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYDS' STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

REGULAR LINE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN BOMBAY AND TRIESTE VIA CANAL.

THE following Steamers will be despatched from Bombay to Trieste :—

	Captain.	Tons	H.P.	To sail
s. s. HELIOS	C. Lazarich	2,000	400	20th Jan.
s. s. HUNGARIA	G. Sturli	1,962	400	8th Mar.
s. s. DAPHNE	G. Doncich	1,927	400	8th April.
s. s. YORKWAERTS	G. Marussig	2,394	450	8th May.

Rates of Passage-money (exclusive of Wines and Spirits, which can be had on board at moderate prices) as under :—

	1st Class. Rs. as.	2nd Class. Rs. as.	Deck. Rs. as.
To Trieste	400	280	140 0
To Corfu (via Port Said)	375	295	143 0
To Port Said	300	255	131 0
To Suez	300	240	122 0
To Aden	170	130	66 8

STEAM TO HONGKONG VIA COLOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Co.'s S. S. DAPHNE, Captain G. Doncich, 1,927 tons, 400-horse power, to sail on the 2nd February, 1882.

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

INSURANCES effected by the General Insurance Company (Limited), Marine Branch.

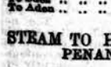
For further particulars, Freight, Passage, &c., &c., apply to

J. JANNI, Agent.

Sassoon House, 7, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, January 2nd, 1882.

ANCHOR LINE.

INDIAN SERVICE BETWEEN BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, AND MEDITERRANEAN.



THE following sailings have been arranged :—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

	Captains	Tons.	h.p.	1882.
s.s. ARMENIA	Geo. H. Read	3,500	700	17th Jan.
s.s. BRITANNIA	R. Hutchison	3,500	700	1st March.
s.s. HINDANIA	J. Laird	3,500	700	16th March.
s.s. ROUMANIA	T. G. Knox	3,500	700	1st April.
s.s. ARMENIA	Geo. H. Read	3,500	700	15th April.

BOMBAY TO MARSEILLES AND GENOA.

	Captains	Tons.	h.p.	1882.
s.s. CASTALIA	...	2,500	500	1st Feb.
s.s. ITALIA	...	2,500	500	15th ,,

For rates and further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

Bombay, 8th January, 1880.

GRINDLAY, GROOM, AND Co., BOMBAY,
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THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited),

Intend to despatch Steamers as follows :—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. ETHIOPIA, 2,032 Tons, on WEDNESDAY, 18th January, 1882, at 4 p.m., calling at Ratnagherry, Vingoria, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Beypore, Calicut, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Galle, Negapatam, Madras, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore, False Point, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. S. PUNJAUB, 1,080 Tons, on TUESDAY, 17th January, 1882, at 4 p.m., calling at Kurrachee, Gwadur, Muscat, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bushire, Fao, and Busreh, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. S. COCONADA, 862 Tons, on FRIDAY, 20th January, 1882, at 11 a.m.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR, MOZAMBIQUE, INHAMBANE, QUILLIMANE, AND DELAGOA BAY.

THE S. S. BAGHDAD, 1,272 Tons, on MONDAY, 16th January, 1882.

N.B.—EXPORTS.—To save shippers the trouble of clearing and shipping, shipments not exceeding five tons will be received, and Bills of Lading granted in exchange at the Offices of the undersigned.

Railway receipts for packages from up-country should be forwarded to the undersigned, who will undertake clearance and shipment.

IMPORTS.—The undersigned undertake the landing, clearing and delivery in Bombay or forwarding by rail or steamer packages by the Company's Steamers. Bills of Lading and particulars of contents and value should accompany forwarding instructions.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co. Agents.

Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 12th January, 1882

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TREACHER'S CHERRY-BRANDY,

MADE from selected Kent Morellas, is of its kind the finest Liqueur imported.

Cash Rs. 2-12 per bottle.

TREACHER & COMPAY, Ld.

NUTS TO CRACK.

BARCELONA NUTS ... ... } Cash 8 Annas
BRAZIL NUTS ... ... } per lb.
KENT COB NUTS... ... ...Re. 1 per lb.

TREACHER & Co., Limited,

VIENNA BEER.

IMPORTED DIRECT FROM THE BREWERY, IN SPLENDID CONDITION.

Cash.

Per doz. Quarts .....Rs. 6-8
Per doz. Pints ..... ,, 4-4

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,

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CHEAVIN'S
PATENT RAPID FILTERS,

The most efficient yet invented.

		Cash prices. Rs. a.
No. 000	Half gallon size	9 0
,, 00	,, ,, Wicker covered..	11 0
,, 0	One and a half gallon size ..	11 0
,, 0	,, ,, Wicker covered..	14 0
,, 1	Two and a half gallon size ..	15 0
,, 1	Three and a half gallon size ..	20 0
,, 2	Five gallon size	27 0
,, 3	Six ,, ...	34 0
Ornamental Dining-room Filters ..		40 0
Refrigerator Filters, in Terra Cotta ware ..		40 0
Cheavin's Pocket Filter.. ..		5 0

SOLE AGENTS FOR BOMBAY PRESIDENCY.
TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.

PETIT MEDOC
CLARET.

TREACHER & Company's importation of this Wine remains *unequalled* at the price. The Public are respectfully requested to compare the quality with similar Brands, (so styled) recently shipped to this market.

Per doz. Quarts, Cash, Rs. 13.
Per doz, Pints, Cash, Rs. 7-8

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
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TRICHINOPOLY CHEROOTS AND CIGARS,

PREPARED expressly for TREACHER & Co., Limited, from finest, selected and thoroughly matured Tobacco, and acknowledged to be the cheapest and best Smokes procurable.

		Cash prices. Rs. as.
NOBLE'S Cheroot shape, without straw	box of 100	1 12
DAWSON'S Cheroot shape, with straw	,, 100	2 4
THOMSON'S, Cheroot shape, with straw	,, 100	1 12
DINDIGUL'S Cheroot shape, with straw	,, 100	2 0
HAVANNAH'S Cigar shape ,,	,, 250	4 8
TREACHER'S GEM MUSTER, Cigar shape	,, 100	2 0
TREACHER'S MUSTER, slightly barrel shaped	,, 100	2 0
CLUB MUSTER, Cheroot and Cigar shape	,, 100	3 4

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

NESTLE'S MILK FOOD.

AN exquisitely delicate and very strengthening Food for Infants, of special value towards the period of weaning, and one of the best Foods for Dyspeptic Invalids yet produced. Prepared in Switzerland in the same manner as Condensed Milk, with the addition of a light, nutritious farine.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.

LESSEE AND DIRECTRESS, MISS EDITH WILSON.

UNDER THE DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE OF H. E. THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY.

THIS EVENING,
MONDAY, 16TH JANUARY,
AT 9 PRECISELY.

A KISS IN THE DARK.

Mr. J. B. Ferrell, Mr. T. Gillespie, Mr. H. Brooks, Mrs. Norville, Miss Emma Markham.

To be followed at 10 o'clock by BURNAND & BURLESQUE,

FAUST
AND
MARGUERITE.

Mr. F. Merer, Mr. A. B. Tapping, Mr. J. B. Ferrell, Miss Edith Wilson, Miss Kate Thoburn, Mrs. Norville, Miss Emma Markham.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Private Box (to admit 4), Rs. 16; Orchestra Stall, Rs. 4; Pit Stall, Rs. 2; Pit, Re. 1; Back Seats, As. 8.

Boxes and Orchestra Stalls can be reserved at Messrs. SOUNDY & Co., Limited.

Doors open at 8-30 p.m.; performance commences at 9 p. m. (Bombay Time.)

STAGE MANAGER.....Mr. F. MERER.
BUSINESS MANAGER.....Mr. GEO. NORVILLE.

WEDNESDAY, 18TH JANUARY,
"NEW MEN AND OLD ACRES."

PANTOMIME.—WANTED CHILDREN for the forthcoming Pantomime. Apply at the Gaiety Theatre between 11 a. m. and 1 p. m.

NOTICE.

MISS WILSON requests that all Bills against her for Gas, Printing, &c., should be sent for payment to Mr. NORVILLE, at the Theatre, every MONDAY, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 1 p. m.

NOTICE.

MR. E. HONEGGER has been ADMITTED a PARTNER in our firm from THIS DATE.

E. SPINNER & Co.

Bombay, 1st January, 1882.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

MEETINGS of the CORPORATION as under will be held here on MONDAY, the 16th instant :—QUARTERLY MEETING at 3 o'clock p. m., and SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING at 3-30 o'clock p. m.

H. WYNFORD BARROW,
Clerk, Municipal Corporation, & Secretary, Town Council.
Bombay Municipal Offices, January 14, 1882.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

INTEREST and DIVIDEND WARRANTS for the half-year ending 31st December, 1881, have THIS DAY been posted.

G. A. BARNETT, Agent.
Company's Offices, Bombay, 14th January, 1882.

TENDERS are invited for the immediate supply of the following articles for the Berar Police :—

7,500 yards of blue dyed drill, 30 inches wide.
7,500 yards of dyed blue jacconets for turbands in pieces of 2 feet broad. The length of the jacconets may be 7½, 15, 22½, or 30 yards each piece.

Apply enclosing samples and stating prices, and the date of delivery to the Inspector-General of Police, Hyderabad Assigned Districts, Amraoti.

Prices should be for delivery at the Amraoti Station of the G. I. P. Railway.

C. T. LANE, Major,
Inspector-General of Police, H. A. D.

11th January, 1882.

BERAR SURPLUS CASH BALANCES.

TENDERS are invited for the PURCHASE of BILLS on AKOLA and AMRAOTI for the following amounts on various dates up to the 15th March next.

	Lakhs.
Akola	20
Amraoti	25

For details, conditions, and forms of tenders, apply at the Accountant-General's Office (new Secretariat) where tenders will be received till one o'clock on TUESDAY, the 24th instant.

Bombay, 14th January, 1882.

A COTTERELL TUPP, Accountant-General.

NOTICE.

TENDERS in writing will be received by the undersigned up to 1 o'clock on MONDAY, the 23rd instant, for the purchase of the paddle steamer "DROMEDARY," now lying in the Prince's Dock.

The vessel is 194·52 gross tonnage, is fitted with a pair of diagonal oscillating condensing paddle engines of 90 horse-power nominal; diameter of cylinder 40 inches; length of stroke 4 feet; and was built of iron at Birkenhead by Messrs. GEORGE FORRESTER & COMPANY, Liverpool, in the year 1866.

Tenders must be accompanied by a deposit of at least 25 per cent. of the sum offered, and the balance must be paid within 48 hours of acceptance of the Tender by the Port Trustees, and before delivery is taken.

HENRY MORLAND, Port Officer.

Port Office, Bombay, 14th January, 1882.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Indian Companies' Act X of 1866 and of THE CARWAR COMPANY, LIMITED, LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a certain compromise of CLAIMS by the above Company against the Bank of Bombay and claims by the said Bank against the said Company has been submitted to the High Court for sanction, and that the same will be sanctioned by the Judge in Chambers, on FRIDAY, the 27th instant, unless good and sufficient cause be shown to the contrary. Copies of the proposed terms and of the Affidavit upon which the same are based can be had on application to the undersigned.—Dated this 14th day of January, 1882.

SMITH & FRERE,
Solicitors to the Liquidators of the above Company, 14, Rampart-row.

MADRAS MUNICIPALITY.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Municipal Commissioners for the City of Madras are prepared, with the sanction of the Governor of Madras in Council conveyed in Order No. 2,205, dated 23rd December, 1881, under Section 206 of the city of Madras Municipal Act of 1878, to receive TENDERS for a DEBENTURE LOAN of (Rs. 3,50,000,) three lacs and fifty thousand rupees on the security of the rates and taxes levied under the said Act. Of the total amount of the loan, two-and-a-half lacs are to be expended in extending the water supply of the City, and one lac in carrying out the drainage project of Black Town.

1. Debentures will be issued for the said amount bearing interest at the rate of five (5) per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on the 15th March and the 15th September of each year, and having a currency of thirty years.

2. The form of Debenture Bonds will be that given overleaf. Each Debenture will be issued for the sum of Rs. 500, or some multiple of Rs. 500.

3. Tenders for the whole or any part of the above-named sum of (Rs. 3,50,000) three lacs and fifty thousand rupees will be received by the President of the Municipal Commission up to noon on the 23rd February, 1882.

4. Each tender should be in the form hereto annexed, and enclosed in a sealed cover, superscribed "Tender for Municipal Loan up of 1882," and sent to the Municipal Office, addressed to "The President Municipal Commission, Madras."

5. The tenders will be opened by the President at the Municipal Office on the 23rd February, 1882, at noon, a minimum rate having first been fixed by the President.

6. Parties tendering must pay into the Bank of Madras to the credit of the Municipal Fund a sum equal to 2 per cent. of the amount tendered, and forward the Bank's receipt with the tender.

7. If the tender be accepted, the deposit will be taken in part payment, but it will be forfeited if, after the acceptance of the tender, the allotment is not fully paid up on or before the 15th March, 1882.

8. Debentures will be issued as soon as possible after receipt of the amount of allotment.

9. The deposit on tenders which may not be accepted will be returned on application.

10. In the case of two or more tenders at the same rate (not being below the minimum) *a pro rata* allotment will, if necessary, be made.

11. The rate stated in a tender must not contain any fraction of an anna; if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out, and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

12. In order to avoid mistakes a separate tender must be made at each rate tendered, and a separate deposit must accompany each tender.

13. The annual income from the rates and taxes which are offered as security for the Loan amounts to Rs. 6,80,000. The charges for loans which have already been raised on the same security are as follows :—

	Annually.
Interest at 4 per cent. on Rs. 14,30,000 payable to Government	Rs. 57,200
Interest at 2 per cent. on Rs. 14,30,000 payable to Sinking Fund.. ..	Rs. 28,600
Interest at 6 per cent. on Rs. 20,000 for Market payable to Debenture holders ..	Rs. 1,200
	Rs. 87,000

A. T. ARUNDEL, President.

Municipal Office, Madras, 11th January, 1882.

FORM OF TENDER.

I hereby tender for Rs. of the Loan advertised in the Notification of the President of the Madras Municipality, dated 11th January, and published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th January, and agree to pay the same subject to the conditions notified, at the rate of Rs. for every Rs. 100 allotted to me.

I enclose a deposit receipt of the Bank of Madras for Rs. being 2 per cent. on the amount of my tender, and engage if my offer be accepted to pay to the account of the Municipal Fund in the Bank of Madras, the sum alloted to me on or before the 15th of March, 1882.

Signature.
Address.

FORM OF DEBENTURE.

MADRAS MUNICIPAL FIVE PER CENT. LOAN OF 1882.

The Municipal Commissioners for the City of Madras.

Madras, the 1882.

No.——

By virtue of the City of Madras Municipal Act V of 1878, We, the Municipal Commissioners for the City of Madras, incorporated under the said Act, in consideration of the sum of Rupees paid to us by promise to pay to the said or Order, the sum of ( ) thirty years after the date hereof, together with Interest on ( ) at the rate of Five per centum per annum, payable half-yearly, on the 15th day of March, and on the 15th day of September.

For the Municipal Commissioners of the City of Madras.

President.
Commissioner.
Commissioner.

N.B.—This Debenture is transferable by endorsement which must be made in the following form :—

I, A. B., of do hereby transfer to C. D. of the Debenture Bond issued by the Municipal Commissioners for the City of Madras to the amount of Rupees and standing in my name to hold unto the said C. D. his Executors, Administrators, Representatives, or Assigns, subject to the conditions on which I hold the same at the time of the execution thereof.

Dated the day of

No transfer will be effectual until the endorsement has been registered in the Office of the Commissioners.

TREACHER & COMPANY'S SUPERIOR WINES FROM DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.

CASH Per doz. Quarts. Rs.	a.			CASH. Per doz. Quarts. Rs.	a.
17	0	... Fine Old ...	...MARSALA... ... ... Sicily..	17	0
		The finest quality produced, softened by age, and mellow to the palate.			
32	0	... Fine Old ...	..MADEIRA... direct from the Island...	32	0
		Rich and full of body, the flavour and aroma being fully developed by the East Indian trip.			
33	0	... Superior Old ...	PORT ... Portugal...	33	0
		This, our well-known Invalid Wine is largely recommended by the Medical Profession, and is of a quality rarely met with in this country.			
28	0	... Fine Old ...	PORT ... Portugal...	28	0
		A wholesome nutritious Wine, thoroughly matured before bottling.			
19	0	... Fine ...	PORT ... Portugal...	19	0
		A rich fruity Wine of good flavour and character.			
		N. B.—Pints of the two first named Ports at an advance of Rs. 3 per case of 2 dozen.			
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NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Municipal Commissioner for the city of Bombay up to 2 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, the 25th instant, for the undermentioned work :—CONSTRUCTING FOOT-PATH on the Sea-side from the Queen's-road level-crossing to the Custom's Chowkey, Chowpatty. Forms of contract, specification, and all information can be obtained on application to the undersigned. A deposit of Rs. 309 to accompany each tender. A deposit of Rs. 709 will have to be paid by the contractor whose Tender is accepted. The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By order of the Municipal Commissioner,
C. B. BRAHAM, C.E.,
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Bombay, Ex. Engineer's Office, 14th January, 1882.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 14.

THE Cotton Market has been very dull to-day, and little business is doing, although sellers are willing to concede further in price to the extent of one or even two rupees.

The following may be taken at about the rates of the day for the descriptions in which any business is being done viz :—

Broach, Good,	March delivery	..	Rs. 226
Do.	do. April	..	.. 224
Oomras	do. Jan. and Feb.	..	.. 193
Do.	Fully Good Fair	..	.. 183
Dholleras	Good, March—April	..	.. 199
Hinganghat,	Good Ready	..	.. 220
Bengals,	Fine do.	..	.. 180
Do.	Good do.	..	.. 161

The Liverpool Market was quiet yesterday, and sales only 8,000 bales. For the week the total sales are 63,000 bales, of which the trade took 57,000 bales in addition to 6,000 bales forwarded.

The Stocks and visible supply now stand as follows, compared to previous year :—

	1882.	1881.	1880.
Stock in Liverpool on 13th Jan.	580,000	487,000	501,000
Of which Surats	58,000	33,440	28,330
Total visible supply	3,160,000	2,778,910	2,533,220

The movements and position of the new crop in America for the week are as follows :—

	1882.	1881.	1880.
Week's Receipts.....	101,000	131,000	130,000
Stock at Ports	1,140,000	920,000	901,000

The position of prices in America is much as before. Ready still quoted 12 cents., but April delivery has declined 3 points to 12·60.

Exchange is again a little higher, and we give the following as the current rates of the day, but perhaps 1-32 lower might be done after the mail of the 26th instant. :—

	Tele-graph.	Demand sight.	3 months' sight.	4 months' sight.	6 months sight.
Bank.....	1s. 8d.	1s. 8 3-16d.	1s. 8 13-32d.	1s. 8d	1s. 8 23-32d.
Credits....			1s. 8 17-32d		1s. 8 23-32d.
Documents			1s. 8 9-16d.		1s. 8¾d.
Francs			216		218

Money keeps very tight, and the share market closes weak. A good many Press and Spinning Companies' shares have changed hands at even a shade lower prices than we quoted yesterday. Bank of Bombay have been in weak demand, and prices have gone up to Rs. 750 per share. Port Canning and New Colaba Land Companies are each Rs. 5 lower.

FREIGHTS.—The market is very steady, and 28s. 9d. is asked for ready shipments of Cotton to Liverpool. Some steamers are reported to have been fixed for April and May loading for United Kingdom or Continent at 40 and 45 respectively.

The MANCHESTER MARKET is reported as quiet but firm, and here we note no alterations however.

GOVERNMENT RUPEE PAPER had improved a little in London, 4 per cents. being quoted 84⅛ and 4½ per cents. 91.

COFFEE is now quoted :—

Middling Plantation	75.
Ordinary Native	48.
Native Mysore	60.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE ship Penthesilea, 1,667 tons, Captain D. Ventors, will sail to-day for Rangoon in ballast.

THE schooner Regina, 90 tons, Nacoda, sailed on the 14th instant for Colombo, with a general cargo.

THE steamer Bedouin, 1,276 tons, Captain W. T. Sherbourne, sailed on the 14th instant for Antwerp, with a general cargo.

THE steamer Brocodaile, 1,416 tons, Captain J. Reynolds, sailed on the 14th instant for Marseilles and Genoa, with a general cargo.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Scindia, 2,040 tons, Captain J. Stone, sailed on the 14th instant for Calcutta in ballast with three barges in tow.

THE steamer Nyanza, 1,421 tons, Captain T. W. Schvedler, sailed on the 14th instant for Zanzibar, with a general cargo and 175 deck passengers.

THE steamer Hathersage, 1,085 tons, Captain Robson, arrived in harbour on the 14th instant from Aden in ballast. The vessel is consigned to Messrs. W. and A. Graham and Co.

ARRIVALS.

Jan.	Vessels.	Commander	From.
14	Hathersage (s)....	Robson ...	Aden, Jan. 6.
	Culna (s).....	Cave	Vingorla, Jan. 13.
15	Heilos (s).....	Lazarieh	Hongkong, Dec. 19.
	Teddington (s)....	Reutter	Suez.
	Sahara (s)	.....	Port Said.

DEPARTURES.

Jan.	Vessels.	Commander	Destinations.
14	Nyanza (s)	Schvedler ..	Zanzibar.
	Bedouin (s)	Shercourne ..	Antwerp.
	Scindia (s)	Stone	Calcutta.
	Brocodaile (s)	Reynolds	Marseilles.
	Re.inda	Nacoda	Colombo.
	Cathay (s)	Robbie	China &c.
	Arrow (s).....	Ringheim	C. & Cutch.
	Vestal	Nacoda	Mozambique.
	Amizade	Nacoda	Mozambique.
	Keerata Roodrim..	Nacoda	Cochin.

The ship Penthesilea, Ventors, to Rangoon, obtained her port clearance, on Saturday last.

The following vessels were entered for loading on Saturday last :—

Steamer Stanmore, to Marseilles.
Steamer Encha tress, to Antwerp.
Steamer Sicily, to Liverpool.
Steamer Yverdon, to Trieste &c.
Ship Magnificent, to Liverpool.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

Jan.			
10	York City (s).....	Lund.....	W Hartlepool, Dec. 5
	Duinburgh	Taylor	Bombay, Nov. 21.
	County of Kirk...	Stroak	Bombay, Dec. 5.
	County of Berwick.	Richards ...	Mauritius, Dec. 1.
	William Douglas..	Dougias	Ditto, Dec. 7.
	Selkirkshire	Reid	Liverpool, Oct. 1.
11	Shazada	Budd	Calcutta, Dec. 24.
	Mineros (s)	Mallony	Tees Nov. 23.

HIGH COURT.—JANUARY 16.

(Before the Hon'ble SIR CHARLES SARGENT.)
Suits for hearing and final disposal.
LONG CAUSES.

450-79—Craigie, L and O—C. A. Turner vs Kessowjee Naik Lad—Hearn C. and L.—Part heard.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice BAYLEY.)
Suits for hearing and final disposal.
LONG CAUSES.

615-79—Jefferson B and D (for pauper)—Devbai vs Itchalal Vundrawandas and others—J. Macfarlane and Chalk and W. (for pauper)—Part heard.

115-80—Jefferson B. and D.—Dhurbhoy Hurridas vs Itchalal Vundrawandas and others—J. Macfarlane.

487-79—J. Macfarlane—Motivow and others vs Cassibai—Inverarity, and Chalk—Part heard.

446-80—J. C. Cama—Thackersey Jaitha vs Trickumjee Veljee and others—J. B and D., P. and G. and J. Macfarlane.

In the matter of the Indian Company's Act X of 1866, a d in the matter of the Fleming S. and W. Co., and in the matter of the New Fleming S. and W. Co., Ardesir and H., and C., L. and O.—Jehangir Gustadjee and another, petitioners.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice WEST.)

Such of the following New L ng Causes fixed for to-day which either pa ty has informed the Prothonotary or the Deputy Registrar will be defended, will not be called on until any consent decree and undefended suits in this list are disposed of. Defended suits will stand over and be taken in their order.

Suits for hearing and final disposal.
NEW LONG CAUSES.

456-81—J. Macfarlane—Dewalibai vs Kesserbai and another—Crawford and B.

457-81—J. Macfarlane—Kessowjee Ooka vs Bai Jamna and others—Muljee and H.

458-81—Smith and F.—Dhurramsy Jairam and another vs Yussoojee Jairam and others—M. M. Mamshi.

470-81—Payne and G.—Meghji Hurrichund vs Becher Thackersey—Jeffreys B. and D.

471-81—Balkrishna and D.—Samuldas Nurseydas, and Tapidas Vurjdas and others—Shapurjee and T.

474-81—Jeejeebhoy Jamsetjee and Jeejeebhoy Rhicaridas vs Lalla Motiram and another—M. M. Munshi.

476-81—Tobin and R.—Hormusjee Muncherjee Wadia vs Lowjee Muncherjee Wadia and another.

478-81—Nanu H.—Yadowrao Sadasew vs Gungadhurrao Madhowrao and another—Tyabjee, and D. and H. Bakshi.

Suits for hearing and final disposal.
LONG CAUSES.

238-81—Payneand G.—Hassumbhoy Visram and others vs Hajee Haroon Esmail and another—Smith and F.—Part heard.

423-81—Chalk and W.—Annie Henningway vs J. Henningway—Hearn, C. and L.

513-81—Hearn, C. and L.—J. Henningway vs Annie Powar [illegible] Henningway—Chalk and W.

339-81—J. Macfarlane—Ahmed Somjee vs Chanda Ramjee and another—Nanu and H., and R. M. Sayani.

343-81—Jefferson, B. and D.—Hajee Esmail Seedick and others vs Hajee Dawood Hajee Sulleman and others.

22-81—Tyabjee and D—Jeewbai vs Golabdas Motiram and others—Jefferson B and D.

122-81—Tyabjee and D.—Memon Hajee Casam Hajee Noormahomed vs Memon Hajee Oosman Hajee Joosna and another—In person.

306-81—Muljee and B.—Motilall Sudaram and another vs Sookhramdas Khoosalchund—Shamrao P.

348-81—Tyabjee and D.—Hukimchund Jotadas vs The Italia and Helvetia Marine Insurance Co.

355-81—In person (a pauper)—Pembai vs Sioobai—In person.

356-81—In person (a pauper)—Sonabai vs Hurrishunker Bhaskerjee and others—In person.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—JANUARY 13.

Wilson, Major, N. Lac. Regt., on leave, from Murree.
Fuller, Maj. Genl., R. E., on duty, from Northern Concan.
Dunt, Lieut., Royal Fusiliers, on leave, from Bellary.

JANUARY 14.

Twynam, Maj., R. A., on leave, from Deolalee.
Cassam, Capt., R. A., on leave, from Mesan Meer.
Bruce, Lieut., R. A., on leave, from Umballa.
Brothlake, Condr., Ord. Dept., on leave, from Bellary.

DEPARTURES.—JANUARY 14.

Fulton, Lieut.-Col., 18th Bombay N. I., on duty, to Indore.
Bunsted, Surgn.-Maj., to join, to Jubbulpore.
Vidal, Lieut., 18th Bombay N. I., from leave, to Mehidpore.

BOMBAY ARMY ORDERS.

Adjutant-General's Office, Head-quarters.
Poona, January 13.

The C.-in-C. is pleased to make the following appointment.

1st Regt. N. I.—Lieut. J. C. Swann to be Wing Officer and Adjt.

Under instructions from Horse Guards Major H. B. LaMottee, 2nd Batn., East Yorkshire Regt., is directed to proceed to England to take up the appointment of Adjt. to the 1st East Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The above named officer will report his arrival in writing to the Adjt. Genl. Horse Guards and proceed at once to Hull, the Head-quarters of the Corps.

This officer is available for duty with Troops on the voyage Home.

Under instructions from the Horse Guards War Office, it is intimated that the following changes affecting R. A. officers in this command have taken place.

An exchange of Batteries has been sanctioned between Major M. J. Sexton, No. 17-8 Bgde. and Major A. G. ubb, O-1 R. A.

Major Grubb will join his Batty. on its arrival in England.

G. O. C. No. 634 of 1881, directing Lieut. W. J. Lascelias, Rifle Bgde., to proceed to England to join the 3rd Batn. of his Regt. is hereby cancelled.

The undermentioned Medical Officers, Army Medl. Dept., are appointed to do duty with the Troops proceeding to England in H. M.'s Indian Troopship Malabar, on the 17th inst. :—Surgn.-Majs. C. H. Browne and J. Williamson, M. B. ; Surgns. P. H. Hayes, P. G. Jevers, and W. Donovan.

The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer returned to duty by permission of the Secy. of State for India on the dates specified :—

Surg.-Major H. J. Blanc, M. D., I. M. D., 5th Jan. 1882 ; Surg. D. C. Davidson, I. M. D., 10th Jan. 1882 ; Condr. W. Wilson, Ord. Dept., 7th Jan. 1882.

The undermentioned Officer having passed his examination for the Army Pay Dept. is directed to join his Regt.

Capt. E. A. H. Webb, 2nd Batn. Leicestershire Regt.

With reference to G. O. C. 596 of 1881, Mr. R. W. McGoverne, Sub-Inspr. of Army Schools, having been posted to the Bombay Presidency for duty, is directed to join Mhow Circle vice Sub-Inspr. A. Cooper retransferred to the Home Estab.

The following orders are confirmed :—

Sind District Order, dated 4th Jan. 1882, appointing Lieut. W. Beville, 29th N. I., to perform the duties of Station Staff Officer, Kurrachee, in addition to his own, during the absence on duty of the Depy. Asst. Adjt. Genl.

Rifle Brigade (1st Batn.) Regtl. Order, dated 30th Dec. 1881, appointing Lieut. C. E. Wegg-Prosser, Asst. Instr. in musketry to the Batn.

The undermentioned has leave of absence :—

Sub-Medl. Dept.—First Class Hospl. Asst. J. D. Colsaco to India for 180 days from date of departure on medical certificate.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

BY LT.-COL. COMDT. W. S. HEWETT, B. V. R. C.

Bombay, January 16.

1. There will be parade under the Adjutant on Wednesday next, the 18th inst., at the Oval near the Bandstand at 7-30 a. m. (Madras time.) All members are requested to attend.

2. The attention of members is invited to the following rule of the Rifle Association. That the Association be opened to all efficient members of the Corps, on payment of Rs. 3 in advance.

Moreover, members are informed that in several of the matches in the coming meeting, attendance at Commandant's parade will be made to count towards prizes.

By order,
A. W. PROUDFOOT,
Capt. and Adjt., B. V. R. C.

MR. JOSEPH COOK will LECTURE on TUESDAY, 17th instant, at 5-30 p. m. (Bombay time) in the TOWN HALL.

SUBJECT :—Decline of Rationalism in Europe.

100 Seats reserved ; all other seats free. Tickets for Reserved Seats at SOUNDY and Co. Price one Rupee.

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NOTICE.

LETTERS, PARCELS, and TELEGRAMS for HIS EXCELLENCY the GOVERNOR and the PRIVATE SECRETARY which cannot be delivered at Government House, Parell, by noon on FRIDAY, the 13th instant, should be addressed to Government House, Guneshkhind, until further notice.

G. H. R. HART,
Private Secy. to H. E. the Governor of Bombay.
Govt. House, Parel, Jan. 12, 1882.

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

[THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED.]

BOMBAY.

BIRTH.

FIEDLER—January 14th, at Malabar Hill, the wife of Otto Fiedler, Esq., of a daughter.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTHS.

DAVIS—January 3rd, at Jhansie, the wife of Surgeon-Major J. Davis, A.M.D., of a daughter.

FERGUSSON—January 2nd, at Gwalior, the wife of Major Sir M. Filose, of a son.

FITZGERALD—January 6th, at Ranikhet, the wife of Lieutenant Fitzgerald, R.S.C., of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

COLLINS—WOOL—January 9th, at Lahore, by the Revd. Ansell Jones, Francis Brophy Collins, Punjab Police, to Amy Constance, daughter of Mr. Bright Wool, Colchester, Essex.

FOSTER-POOLE—December 28th, at Bulandshahr, Richard Foster, to Henrietta, daughter of J. H. Poole, Police Department.

NIXON—LITTLE—January 7th, at Cocanada, Charles Edward, son of the late John Nixon, Princes Park, Liverpool, to Mary Parker, daughter of the late Rev. Robert Parker Little, Senior Chaplain, Madras Establishment.

RONALDSON—KERR—December 20th, at S. Thomas' Church, Free School Street, on Tuesday by the Revd. F. T. Stewart Dyer, Henry Wallace Ronaldson, to Emilie Olliver youngest daughter of the late Mr. R. A. Kerr.

TURNBULL—MUDIAMMID—January 9th, at St. Andrew's Church, Calcutta, by the Rev. G. G. Gillan, M. A., the Rev. Archibald Turnbull, B. D., Darjeeling to Mary Jane, daughter of the late Rev. Hugh McDiarmid, of Callander Scotland.

DEATHS.

CRUM—January 9th, at 9 Russell Street. of typhoid, fever Walter Ewing Crum, aged 28.

SAMUELLS—January 8th, at Lucknow, Joseph Samuells, Head Accountant, Treasury Office, aged 53 years.

SHIRCORE—January 11th, at Cawnpore, George Manook Shircore, late of Calcutta and Dacca, aged 70 years.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

"OBSERVER."—will see that Mr. Shroff corrects the statement in to-day's paper.

"SENEX."—Received.

The Bombay Gazette

MONDAY, JANUARY 16, 1882.

IT is inexpressibly sad that three days after the grave closed over Lady Fergusson, her niece, Miss Richman, has succumbed to the same fell disease. This time the victim was carried off with even more appalling suddenness. Miss Richman, who was at Guiesh Khind, was apparently in perfect health up to Saturday morning when she was seized with cholera ; she died that evening, and was buried on Sunday morning. The record is brief, but how full of pathos. And what anguish to the survivors of the family circle upon whom this second blow has descended within one merciless week! The sympathy of the public, universal and heartfelt as it is, can do but little to assuage that anguish which all can understand and in a measure share. It is hard that these two ladies, but yesterday so full of youth and happiness, so high-placed and beloved, should have been singled out as it were by the "blind fury whose abhorred shears slits the thin-spun life."

THE perturbing effect of the Anglo-French Collective Note has extended to the Porte. The Turkish ministers have sent a Note to the representatives of the Ottoman Empire abroad denying the right of the Foreign Powers to intervene in Egyptian affairs, and demanding explanations respecting the Collective Note. There is no doubt that this diplomatic protest is justified, but without the means to give it practical effect, it might as well have remained unwritten. The Sultan's rights in Egypt, which the Note just issued insists upon, were recognised by the Western Powers themselves when, at their solicitation, His Majesty deposed the Khedive Ismail by the simple issue of a firman. The ex-Khedive would have disregarded the document in question had not the Sultan intimated his intention of enforcing it by the despatch of a *corps d'armeé* to Egypt, an intimation to which the Western Powers were no strangers. What the Sultan now claims, namely, the suzerainity of Egypt made evident to the world by the exercise of the sole right of disposing of Egyptian affairs in the last resort as to him seems good, is precisely the power which England and France recognised and evoked when the Khedive Ismail showed a disposition to himself play the part which is now being played by Colonel Arabi Bey. The complication is gradually becoming more serious, and if fortune is not very propitious there will infallibly arise the necessity for an armed intervention in Egypt with all its possibilities of mischief. The Western Powers appear to be themselves conscious that the Collective Note was a mistake. The British Consul-General has explained to Sherif Pasha, President of the Egyptian Council of Ministers, that the Note in question was simply intended to re-affirm the Anglo-French alliance in view of the accession of M. Gambetta to Office. The explanation looks suspiciously like an apology. No one can suppose that a Collective Note conveying a distinct intimation of armed intervention was required to inform the world that M. Gambetta's acception to office had not impaired the Anglo-French alliance. The object of the explanation to Sherif Pasha was evidently to minimise the effect produced by the Collective Note.

M. GAMBETTA has brought in a Bill for a very sweeping reform or rather reconstitution of the French Constitution which was voted three or four years ago, and was intended to remain for ever a monument of French wisdom. The Ministerial Bill provides for the *scrutin de liste*, which will place the elections for the Chamber of Deputies in the hands of whichever clique of wire-pullers happens to be in the ascendant for the moment in Paris. The Senate will have its wings clipped by being deprived of the power to alter financial bills. The method of election will be changed, no doubt, in such a manner as to bring universal suffrage directly to bear upon the Second Chamber. M. Gambetta has announced beforehand that if the *scrutin de liste* be not voted he will resign. From this it is evident that the Dictator is prepared to stake every thing upon the new Bill. If it passes there will be no constituted body in the State capable of resisting his strong will. The Empire will be in effect revievd under Gambetta I.

SOMETIME last hot weather, it is said, the Government of India applied to Ameer Abdurrahman for help in procuring witnesses for the Hyat Khan trial. His Highness is reported to have excused himself on the ground of more personal preoccupations elsewhere. Policy might have explained his refusal. However excellent a man the Ameer may be, he is human, and he could not relish the prospect of a trial the result of which might cast doubts on the justice of Yakoob's deportation, and excite the hopes of the legitimists of Mussoorie. But patriotism might have dictated the grim, ironical suggestion which he is said to have made to the effect that Kabul itself was the proper place in which to conduct Hyat Khan's trial. One may imagine how the eye of every Kabuli who heard the story must have flashed with a glint of the nether pit at the Ameer's notion of poetic justice. Possibly enough the wish may have been father to the thought ; but we are assured that the story is very generally believed in Northern Afghanistan, and in the parts of Northern India which are most frequented by Afghan travellers. But whatever the truth may be as to the alleged communications with the Ameer, it is certain that the Government have been making strenuous efforts to procure additional evidence. Ever since the Peshawur trial, two of the cleverest members of the Punjab Police Department have been searching for information and sending reports to the local Government, and even as late as August last it was supposed that Mr. Spitta, the ablest member of the Punjab Bar, then acting as Government Advocate, was quite prepared to open the case. We have heard that a long list of persons competent to give evidence has since been drawn up, but that the old difficulty of getting them to travel down to India from Cabul is as formidable as ever. However, as the Ameer is not far from, if not actually in, his capital, this obstacle may be overcome very speedily. Of course witnesses will not travel at their own expense, and the Indian Government must pay the cost, as it would have to do in any ordinary case of the kind.

It is nearly a year since the Peshawur trial was concluded, and the postponements of the case have long since led many persons to believe that the inquiry would be dropped altogether. It has been argued that the order for the collection of fresh evidence was in itself an acknowledgment of the untenable character of the first series of charges, and that the case should have been dropped twelve months ago and the accused sent back to duty. The government, however, would no doubt reply that the Peshawur inquiry was not meant to be a legal trial in the regular sense of the term, but rather a preliminary and somewhat informal kind of inquiry from the results of which the Government would decide whether the matter should or should not be pushed farther. Now, after the trial was over there arose a disposition on the part of Government to give Hyat Khan the option of resigning or of undergoing a fresh trial. This course was condemned by some as an unfair attempt to extort a virtual confession from the accused. But perhaps the majority of persons would regard it as an indication that a Government, notoriously indulgent and long-suffering to its servants, felt honestly convinced that Hyat Khan deserved punishment. The very arguments which Hyat Khan's defenders draw from his past career might very plausibly be turned against him. It was not at all likely that Government, unless they had, or honestly believed they had, better grounds for suspecting Hyat Khan's honesty than were known to the public, would have treated with unusual severity—as they have done—an officer who had been the friend and comrade of the gallant Nicholson in war, and who had been so favourably recommended by almost every official whom he had served, from the time of the mutiny to that of the late Cabul campaigns. Nor could the more positive testimony which some prominent officials are said to have given in Hyat Khan's favour have helped him much. It is believed that Lord Lytton wrote a letter in which he expressed his sympathy with the accused, and his belief that the charges would fall through. General MacGregor is also supposed to have spoken strongly in Hyat Khan's favour, but perhaps that is what might naturally have been expected from General MacGregor. We have also heard of rumours to the effect that the members of the Viceroy's Council were divided on the question of Hyat Khan's innocence : but not much importance can be attached to them ; and, in any case, it is only too clear that Hyat Khan's supporters, if there are any, have failed to make their views prevail. Had there been any intention of giving the accused the benefit of the doubt implied in any such divergence of opinion, he would, we presume, have received it long ago.

But though the reasons for the tedious delays which have already taken place are as satisfactory as they are obvious, it is sincerely to be hoped, for the Government's own sake, that a decision will be promptly arrived at one way or the other,—that is either for a prosecution or a dismissal of the case. If he be guilty of course Hyat Khan deserves a far severer punishment than mere dismissal from the service to which he has been attached for more than twenty years. But still, dismissal would in itself be a serious penalty, and, as a matter of fact, the accused has, in his suspension from service been all the while suffering one of the consequences of guilt, though, as a matter of fact, any guilt has not been formally established. But as we have already hinted, Government must have had unusually strong inducements to authorize an unusual treatment of one of its most prominent servants. We only wish to point out that further suspense would be likely to cause, especially among the Mahomedan portion of the north Indian community, a misapprehension as to the motives of the Government. For example, we have heard intelligent natives ask why Mr. Fisher was not suspended during the interval between the first and last trials of his case. It did not occur to them that, but for the intervention of a higher authority, the Meerut case would have been dismissed after Mr. Colvin's first inquiry ; but that the very result of the Peshawur inquiry was to determine Government to pursue the matter still farther. The difference is vital. Moreover, if allowance is made for the respective degrees of difficulty in getting the cases prepared for examination at a final tribunal, it will be seen that the delay in bringing on the Fisher case was just as tedious as that which has occurred in Hyat Khan's instance. But we do not expect Hyat Khan's sympathisers to see the matter in this light. The prayers which were offered up every day in the mosques last summer showed very distinctly what the Mahomedan population thought of their co-religionist's case ; and we were informed, less than a month ago, that the prayers were still continued. In this matter we have a hearty and sincere sympathy with the Government. The predicament in which the Government stands is this—the difficulty of getting at evidence, which they think may ultimately be procurable, for arguing out a case of the justice of which they believe they have very strong *primâ facie* indications. Rulers with a weaker sense of justice, and of less sensitiveness for the honour of the English name in the East, would perhaps have dropped the subject out of sheer weariness. But Lord Ripon and his colleagues have been manifestly reluctant to take that course. If they be now compelled to take it, they will at all events be credited with the desire to do justice. Even the Afghan nation, must, after all these investigations, be impressed to some extent with a notion of what English justice means.

WE hear from an authentic source that the Government of India have definitely decided not to appoint another Co-Regent for Hyderabad in the place of the late Ameer-i-Kabeer ; It is stated that Sir Steuart Bailey is "well disposed towards Sir Salar Jung." Our informant adds :—"This shows that the policy of the present Viceroy in regard to Hyderabad is quite different from that of his predecessor."

THE election to the Chairmanship of the Bombay Corporation will take place to-day. There are two candidates, one the retiring Chairman, Dr. Blaney, and the other the Commissioner of Police, Sir Frank Souter. We have already stated very unreservedly our opinion with regard to this second candidature. We share the high esteem generally felt for Sir Frank Souter, and if he were not an official and Commissioner of Police to boot, we should be quite disposed to welcome his election to the chief post in the Corporation. But we have always maintained that it is not for the public interest that our municipal institutions should be converted into machinery for registering the decrees of the Secretariat. A certain amount of official influence has been carefully provided for in the Municipal Act. A large proportion of the members are directly nominated by Government, and the Chairmanship of the Town Council is filled by a Government nominee. Under those circumstances it is necessary to observe a certain watchfulness lest the official influence, already so considerable, should become preponderant. It was upon this ground that we strenuously opposed what was known as the official list which threatened to constitute the Town Council last year almost wholly of Government men. The proposal to elect the Commissioner of Police to the Chairmanship of the Corporation is objectionable, for it has the same tendency. It is idle to suppose that in any of the various questions which from time to time are in debate between the Corporation and the Government the Commissioner of Police can forget the allegiance which he owes to his hierarchical superiors, and give to the Corparation the benefit of unbiassed advice and unqualified support. We have recently seen in Bengal what happened to the official Chairman of a Municipality who thought that his first duty was towards the body over which he presided. The heavy hand of the Lieutenant-Governor was laid upon him, he was censured and transferred, and to this day there is a lurking suspicion that he was a man capable of the unheard-of crime of considering the rights of the rate-payers paramount to those of his superior officer. It is not desirable that Sir Frank Souter should be placed like Mr. O'Donnell in the difficult position of having to make a choice between voting with the rate-payers or going with the Government. A divided allegiance is very embarrassing to most mortals. If it were not for Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee the candidature of Sir Frank Souter would never have been heard of. That gentleman has taken upon himself to dispose of the Chairmanship very much as the Government will dispose of that of the Town Council. He has surprised a number of the members of the Corporation into promising to vote for his selection, the belief having been induced that no other Chairman was available. A good many of those whose promises were given under this impression would certainly not have pledged themselves to vote for Sir Frank Souter had they known that Dr. Blaney would stand for election. Some of them have refused to be bound by promises given under a misapprehension. It is to be hoped that when the election takes place the members will give their votes according to the best of their judgment, bearing in mind that they are executing a public trust. The Chairmanship of the Corporation should not be in the gift of any individual, or bestowed as if it were merely a complimentary honour.

IT is very important to ascertain if possible whether the sad death of Miss Richman was due to infection in Parel, or to some new infection at Poona. It is generally considered that the choleraic poison has a period of incubation with a maximum limit of eight days. It is, therefore, quite possible that this unfortunate young lady took the disease from the same source as Lady Fergusson who was attacked on Saturday week. Miss Richman was seized with the fatal symptoms on last Saturday morning. Neither lady had complained of illness previously. Lady Fergusson had breakfasted as usual on Saturday week, and was quietly sitting at work with Miss Richman and Miss Fergusson, when she remarked suddenly that she did not understand what had happened, for she felt very ill. She left the room, and by Dr. Findlay's directions at once went to bed and was placed under treatment. That was the last time she was seen by either of the young ladies who were denied access to her by the orders of the medical men, and were in the course of the afternoon sent away from Parel House to the Government House at Malabar Point. Captain Fergusson was the only other inmate of Government House who was in any way affected, and the symptoms from which he suffered were not distinctively choleraic in character. It would be well to enquire what influences the two ladies who have been struck down by cholera were exposed to in common. It has been pointed out that the milk supply of Government House was derived from the village of Parel where cholera cases had occurred. If the milk were used in the same form or in the same quantity by other occupants of the house, it is improbable that this was the source of infection to the two ladies. Were their bed-rooms more exposed to tainted air coming from the direction of Parel than those of other occupants of the house ? It is of course possible that Miss Richman succumbed to an attack which originated in Poona. The desirability of fixing, so far as the circumstances admit, the source of the attack in each case is obvious.

THE Bishop of Bombay in the course of the funeral sermon preached in the Cathedral last evening naturally dwelt upon the second calamity which has befallen His Excellency the Governor's family. The congregation was unusually large, and emblems of mourning were hung in the Church. It is to be regretted that his Lordship in his discourse added greatly and painfully to the feelings of depression and almost consternation which the sad news of Miss Richman's death, following upon that of Lady Fergusson, was so well calculated of itself to create. To ask a congregation under such circumstances to imagine themselves in their grave-clothes is to trifle with the feelings and the nerves of his hearers. Dr. Milne, of course, had no intention of doing anything of the kind, but the effect produced by the tone and substance of his discourse was to depress and harrow still further the already highly-wrought feelings of his audience, the majority of whom were ladies.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE AND THE VILLAGE OF PAREL.

YESTERDAY morning the Municipal Commissioner, and the Health Officer, with Mr. Braham and Mr. Brunton made an examination of Government House Parel with the view of ascertaining the exact nature of the sanitary arrangements there. Every corner of the house was carefully inspected, and so, too, were all the bungalows and outbuildings in the compound. Nothing was discovered, however, that would justify the inspectors in attributing to any one cause the sad fatality which recently occurred there. But several things appear to combine to cast suspicion upon the healthiness of the Government House, Parel. In the first place, it lies very low, and the walls in some places show signs of damp. Examination disclosed the fact that there is water not far from the surface of the ground close to the house, but whether this water comes from the adjacent tank or not, has not yet been ascertained. There is no sewerage system at Parel, and the drainage of the house is received into cesspools a short distance off. The tank behind the house must undoubtedly, we think, be injurious to thehealth of those living near it. The water is foul, green and slimy, and, although very shallow, covers a considerable area. The result is that there is a wide margin from which the water has receded, and this has a very nasty appearance as well as an unpleasant smell. And yet the people of the village drink this water. A great improvement might possibly be effected if the tank were made much smaller and deeper. The village adjacent to Government House is not, as Indian villages go, a particularly dirty one ; indeed, it is cleaner than the generality of such places. It contains some good houses, and many of them do not belong to the lowest strata of the people, but are respectable clerks, and others of that class. When we visited the place yesterday morning, sulphur and tar were burning in every direction, and the gutters were covered with a pink disinfecting powder. In the houses, or rather huts, in which cases of cholera had occurred, the earthen floors had been broken up and disinfectants scattered over them ; the houses were also partially unroofed. These precautions are taken by the Health Department in every place where cholera breaks out. The people object to their huts being unroofed and their floors broken up, and are consequently not very eager to give information to the authorities when a case of cholera occurs. There is, certainly, urgent need for some system of drainage in the village of Parel. At present there are only open gutters, in which black sewage water either stagnates or flows very slowly somewhere—into the ground, we suppose. A few cesspools are scattered about the place, but it is plain that most of the sewage sinks into the earth. To all appearance, both the village and the tank are on a higher level than the Government House. We believe that some time ago a scheme was drawn up for the drainage of Parel, but it came to nothing. Surely it would not be very difficult for the Corporation to construct a sewer with which the people of Parel might be compelled to connect their houses.

No fresh cases of cholera were reported from Parel yesterday. On Saturday there were four cases in Bombay, two of which occured at Parel. One of these, in which an aged woman was attacked, proved fatal. The other two cases occurred, one in the harbour and the second at Oomercarry, the latter proving fatal.

THE DEATH OF LADY FERGUSSON.

YESTERDAY'S SERMONS.

THE CATHEDRAL.

At the Cathedral yesterday morning the Rev. F.L. Sharpin preached from the text—"And they said among themselves, who shall roll away the stone from the door of our sepulchre ?" St. Mark XVI, 3. The preacher in his sermon dwelt upon the uncertainty of life and announced that a lady related to the late lady Fergusson had just fallen a victim to the disease of which Lady Fergusson died. Last evening at the Cathedral the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Bombay preached before the congregation his text being the words "The Lord sitteth upon the flood ; yea, the Lord sitteth King for ever. The Lord will give strength unto His people ; the Lord will bless His people with peace." Psalm XXIX., 10 and 11. In the course of his sermon the Bishop referred to the death of Lady Fergusson and said :—You have been asking yourselves these six days how to use the consolations of Christianity as you think of the inroad of death into a household which stands first in our community. On this subject my words shall be brief. The lady, of whose gracious presence Almighty God has been pleased to deprive us, had been called in the course of His Providence to fill a public station. But gracefully and sweetly though she filled it, those who in their intercourse with her enjoyed an approach to her intimacy knew well that her delicate sensibility would have been glad to shrink away from publicity into domestic life, and that she turned with true womanly instinct from the brilliancy of public to pure family affection,—the sphere in which she was best accomplished. When she appeared in public among us, her thoughts were not of herself, nor did she desire that those of others should be exclusively occupied with her. I shall be most true to her memory if my personal references are but slight, and the form into which I shall throw them shall be that into which she herself, if I read her character aright, would have preferred that they should be put, namely, how do we wish those who loved her best should be able to think of her departure ? Our sympathies have been abundantly with them—one unconscious, except with a child's knowledge, of the irreparable knowledge sustained ; the other, worst stricken of all, pierced by public duties torn from even knowing how his wife needed him in her extremity. How should we w

TELEGRAMS.

CHOLERA AT GUNESH KHIND.

DEATH OF MISS RICHMAN.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, SUNDAY JAN. 15.

Miss Richman died of Cholera at Government House, Gunesh Khind, yesterday evening, at seven o'clock. She was the second daughter of the late Lady Fergusson's eldest brother.

No suspicion was entertained that Miss Richman was unwell till Saturday morning. Dr. Findlay was at once called in, and shortly after Dr. Bruce was sent for. Both Drs. continued in attendance till the last, as well as Dr. Sexton who was called in later.

The funeral took place this morning.

KING THEEBAW.

(FROM THE PRESS COMMISSIONER.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 14.

THE recent rumours of the death of the King of Burmah have been contradicted by respectable Europeans who live in Mandalay.

News reached Thayetmyo on the 11th instant that the King was recovering from his illness.

THE TOUR OF THE GOVERNOR OF MADRAS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, JAN. 14.

H. E. the Governor of Madras arrived at Devalla on the 13th inst. After examining the stamping operations at Alpha, an address was presented to him by the Nilgiri Planting and Mining Association, which dealt with the importance of a better administration of the Nilgiris, the improvement of local communications, the construction of the Mysore and Malabar railway on to Coonoor, and the curtailment of Government Cinchona Plantations. His Excellency in reply said that, in this and other districts, the administration was undermanned. He was sanguine, however, that the Government would permit the strengthening of the administrative staff, which a long experience of the evils connected with the present state of things had induced the Madras Government ardently to desire. He promised to keep the matter of the railway in the districts frequently in view. He considered the road along which he had passed must be difficult to traverse in the monsoon. They must remember that there was much for which the poverty of the Madras Government, not its will, was to blame. Madras had long been able to pour year after year vast sums into the Imperial Treasury, but she had not been equally fortunate in receiving what she wanted for her own needs. He hoped they were about to see an improved state of things.

With regard to the Coonoor railway he had received repeated communications from their secretary, and he believed the time was not distant when they would have their railway.

With regard to Cinchona cultivation, he believed the time must come when Government would do no more to promote that industry, but he did not think it would be advantageous to be in too great a hurry to dispense with Government aid.

THE STAR OF INDIA MEDAL.

Sir James Gordon, K. C. S. I., left Madras to-day for Calcutta, per s. s. Merkara.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(By Red Sea Cable.)

THE ANGLO-FRENCH COLLECTIVE NOTE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, JAN. 13.

In reply to the Anglo-French Collective Note presented to the Khedive, the Porte has sent a note to its representatives abroad declaring the Sultan's rights in Egypt to be founded upon *firmans*, and that the Foreign Powers have no right to intervene, and demanding explanations respecting the Collective Note.

FATAL EXPLOSION.

LONDON, JAN. 14.

Advices received here from Chili state that a serious explosion took place in the paint-drying compound (?) while H. M. S. Ironclad ship Triumph was in that port of Coquimbo on the 22nd November last, killing three seamen and injuring seven others.

PROPOSED REFORM OF THE FRENCH CONSTITUTION.

PARIS, JAN. 14.

A Ministerial Bill has been introduced in the French Chamber of Deputies for the reform of the Constitution, in which is included the *scrutin de liste*, a modification of the Senate's financial powers and a change in the system of election.

THE TRANSPORT JUMNA.

PORTSMOUTH, JAN. 14.

H. M.'s s. Jumna left here for Bombay to-day.

THE CROCODILE AGROUND.

ISMAILIA, JAN. 14.

H. M.'s transport Crocodile is aground in the Suez Canal.

STEAMER MOVEMENT.

LIVERPOOL, JAN. 13.

The Inch Line Steamer Inchmornish left here for Bombay to-day.

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

LONDON, JAN. 13.

Total week's sales of Cotton	63,000	bales.
" " " Surats	6,000	"
" " Imports of Cotton	117,000	"
" " Surats	13,000	"
" Stock of Cotton	572,000	"
" " Surats	58,000	"
" Stock of Cotton in London	41,000	"

LONDON, JAN. 13.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed quiet.

Surats quiet.

The London Cotton market has been quiet.

Fair Dholleras	4½
The Manchester market has been quiet but steady.	
7 lbs. Shirtings	5-10½
32 ,, do.	7
40's Mule Twist	0-10½
Exchange on India, 60 days' sight	1s. 7 15-16
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan	101¼
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	84½
4½ ,, ,,	91
3 per cent. Consols for account	100½
5 ,, French Rentes	115

Arrivals—Lizzie, English, Calypso, Thessaly, and Timor.

Departure—Sportsman.

TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORT.

(JANUARY 14.)

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Teheran, interrupted beyond Emden. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect. *Via* direct cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, interrupted.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect to Wladivostock.

KURRACHEE, January 14, 12 noon.—Teheran route interrupted beyond Emden.

MADRAS, January 14, 7-1 p.m.—One of Woosung River cables repaired.

STEAMER REPORTS.

GALLE, JAN. 15, 11-15 A. M.

French Mail Steamer Irrawady, from Aden, arrived.

MADRAS, JAN. 14, 12-35 P. M.

Himalaya, in tow with the I. G. Troopship Czarewitch, from Rangoon, in sight.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

FRIDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 13.
(Madras time.)

At 10 p.m. ... ... 72·8 Farht.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14.

" 6 a.m.	69·3
" 10 a.m.	77·1
" 2 p.m.	82·2
" 4 p.m.	81·8
" 10 p.m.	73·0

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15.

" 6 a.m.	69·5
" 10 a.m.	77·5
" 2 p.m.	84·9
" 4 p.m.	82·3

REFERENCE was made yesterday in most of the churches in Bombay, of different denominations, to the sad death of Lady Fergusson. We give the remarks of the several officiating ministers in another column.

AN address of public sympathy for presentation to Sir James Fergusson, initiated by Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee Jeejeebhoy and some other Parsee gentlemen, and warmly approved of by leading European and native citizens, is now being engrossed at the Education Society's Press, and will be ready for signatures in a few days.

MISS RICHMAN only arrived in Bombay last November.

THE ceremony of conferring upon the Thakore Saheb of Bhownuggur the insignia of the title of K.C.S.I., which was to have been performed by Sir James Fergusson at Rajkote on Saturday last, has not been long postponed. We learn by telegram that the Thakore Saheb, with his Dewan Azim Samuldas, Deputy Dewan Azim Vajaishanker, and others, left Bhownuggur on Saturday by special train for Rajkote, where the ceremony will, in the absence of His Excellency the Governor, be performed to-morrow by Colonel Barton, Political Agent of Kattiawar.

H. E. THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF left the Boribunder station on Saturday morning by passenger train (8-15) for Poona. His Excellency was accompanied by Colonel Pottinger, Quarter-master-General, Major Gatacre, Military Secretary, and an Aide-de-Camp.

THE Bombay Volunteers' annual Fancy Ball which was postponed from Friday last in respect to the memory of Lady Fergusson, has been fixed to take place on next Friday week, the 27th inst.

THE Commander-in-Chief (General Hardinge) will inspect the Bombay Volunteer Rifle Corps, of which His Excellency is Honorary Colonel, at an early date.

THE 14th Hussars march from Poona on the 16th inst., and expect to reach Sholapur on the 28th.

THE *Englishman* thinks it is matter for surprise, considering the character of the business pending in the Supreme Council, that the appointment of the Advocate-General as a Member, which expired last month, has not been renewed.

THE Government of India are reported to have sanctioned the location of two mountain batteries at Ghora Dhaka, in the Murree hills. One of these will be permanently stationed there; the other will be eventually removed to Darjeeling. The ground will be surveyed, and the site of the new station fixed by a committee, as soon as the weather permits.

LIEUTENANT THE HON'BLE CHARLES HARBORD, 2nd Scots Guards, is said to be expected in India shortly, to join the Viceregal Staff as A.-D.-C.

MAJOR PEACOCK, late Agent to the Governor-General at Moorshedabad, is posted as Political Agent to Alwar, Major Law proceeding home on furlough.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL J. EWING, M. S. C., has been appointed to officiate in the place of General O'Connell as Quartermaster-General of the Madras Army, and accompanies Sir Frederick Roberts to Burmah in that capacity. Major D. S. McLeod, Assistant Quartermaster-General of the Mysore Division, succeeds Colonel Ewing as Deputy Quartermaster-General.

THE *Bombay Guardian* writing on the death of Lady Fergusson says:—"Surely the voice of divine Providence speaks very impressively and solemnly in this event to this community, especially to those who were accustomed to frequent Government House. What are all the honours and dignities of this world in the presence of the undeniable fact that there is no one that has any guarantee that he shall see another sun rise? Surely there is no fact connected with our residence upon this globe that is of the slightest moment compared with the uncertainty of life and the absolute impossibility of making it certain. The *Bombay Catholic Examiner* says that 'the melancholy news spread dismay throughout the city; there was almost a panic.'"

THE *Pioneer* understands that, so far as can be gathered from local information at present available, the report that the King of Burmah has died in a state of insanity cannot be accepted as authentic, although it is credited in some quarters. At the same time there is no doubt that palace affairs at Mandalay are considerably disturbed, and the political outlook there gives cause for some anxiety.

NOTICING that Mr. Robert Knight returned a short time ago to India, the *Madras Mail* remarks that "it appears the inquiry which has been going on with respect to the charges brought by him against Sir Richard Meade and Colonel Euan-Smith of malpractices at Hyderabad and other places, has nearly terminated. It is believed that the charges have practically broken down with regard to Sir Richard Meade, and that they seem to be equally baseless regarding Colonel Euan-Smith."

THE *Bombay Guardian* is rather happy in reference once to Sir G. Birdwood's apology for opium smoking:—"The vigorous language that characterised Sir Geo. Birdwood when he was a Bombay Editor, which the unsympathetic termed extravagance, has not deserted him in his maturer days In his letter to the Archbishop he is not satisfied with saying that the effect of opium-smoking is more harmless than the use of the daintiest cigarettes; he declares that it is less injurious than *sucking sugar stick*! After that, we are quite prepared to hear him say that it is less injurious than tea-drinking. Missionaries in China should take this hint, and not trouble the Chinese with cant with Christian nations for forcing opium upon them, should begin to reproach the Chinese for corrupting all the world with villainous tea."

THE *Bombay Catholic Examiner* apparently does not concur in "Senex's" estimate of the most remarkable of the four new saints, St. Labre. That paper devotes a couple of columns to that now celebrated Frenchman, who on one occasion while on a pilgrimage in the south of Italy, composed a prayer "very powerful against earthquakes," and says that "it is calculated that this saintly Pilgrim journeyed through upwards of fifteen thousand miles. Despised by men, beloved of the Angels, he dies at Rome the 16th April 1783, and is beatified by Pius IX in 1860." The *Examiner* adds that "on the 8th December, an unknown benefactor invested the sum of £4,000 for the foundation, in the Catholic University of Lille, of another chair of the Faculty of Medicine, under the title of St. Joseph Labre."

IT has long been known, remarks the *Englishman*, that Bengalis do not enlist in the army. They are almost equally chary of joining the police. In Calcutta and its suburbs the native police force has a strength of one thousand nine hundred and fifty, but among them the Bengalis number not more than two hundred. The bulk of the constables are up-country men. The few Bengalis who do come forward for enlistment, it is noticed, are men from Eastern Bengal, and chiefly from Faridpur.

MAJOR J. S. F. MacKenzie, of the Military Accounts Department, will shortly be appointed Deputy Military Accountant-General, the Lahore paper understands.

NAWAB SHAH NAWAZ KHAN, ex-Nawab of Tank, died on the 11th inst., at his residence in Shah Bahlol, near Lahore.

BABOO NILAMBUR MOOKERJEE, Judicial Minister at Kashmere, is now on a visit to Calcutta on business connected with the silk and wine manufacture of the valley.

THE Nawab of Rampore and the Maharaja of Bulrampore have written to the Foreign Office, asking to be excused from being present at the Star of India investiture ceremony of the 25th instant.

H. H. THE NIZAM and suite were to arrive at Aurungabad Deccan on the 27th instant; but the event has been postponed *sine die*.

THE Bronze Star for presentation to the officers and men who formed part of the Kabul-Kandahar Field Force, under Sir F. Roberts' command, is now ready, and will shortly be issued to those who are entitled to the decoration.

THE *Indian Spectator*,—As the *Bombay Gazette* truly said, in Colonel Waddington's retirement the Educational Department loses one of its ablest chiefs, and the people of Bombay a sincere friend. Colonel Waddington has been among the hardest worked men in this important service, but he has always found time to advise and encourage all in their efforts for the spread of education. In this latter capacity we know Col. Waddington to have been materially assisted by his amiable wife—a fact which ought to be practically recognised by native friends of education. The retiring Inspector has our very best wishes. Another worthy officer whose, retirement is to be regretted, is Colonel Walsh. Colonel Walsh too is a genuine friend of the people, and his service to the State was long and meritorious.

THE *Indo-European Correspondence* has received news of the murder, on the Tibetan frontier, of the Reverend M. Brieux, another of those devoted members of the Missions Etrangères who have lost their lives in the long endeavour to introduce Christianity into Tibet. M. Brieux had left Bathang, on the Chino-Tibetan frontier, in the beginning of September last, having been sent to make inquiries about certain monies and other articles which had been despatched some time before for the use of the missionaries who are settled in the borderlands between Tibet and Yunnan. One march out of Bathang, M. Brieux was attacked by some 15 men, stoned till he fell insensible, and then killed with their knives.

THE conspiracy in Nepal is believed to have had for its object the extermination of the reigning family, in revenge for some executions ordered by Shum Shere Jung Bahadur. In consequence of news of the conspiracy, Mr. Girdlestone left Calcutta on Thursday night, and will make all haste to reach the Nepaulese capital and take up his duties as Resident. The news was telegraphed by the Residency Surgeon to Motihari, and so far no particulars are known of the plot.

SINCE 1861 no political officer has resided at the Court of the Rajah of Kerowlie. There can be no doubt that the Rajah has found extreme difficulty in conducting the affairs of his State, and the *Indian Daily News* thinks it is a matter worth consideration whether an officer should not be deputed to Kerowlie to advise the Rajah until his affairs have got into somewhat better train. When things have been put straight, and harmony established between him and his Council, it is very probable that there would be no cause for continued interference.

THE Lahore paper hears from Kabul that two men, an engraver named Mirza Sarmast Khan, and a clerk named Hassan, who had been imprisoned for some time on suspicion of having been in correspondence with Ayoub Khan, have been shot by order of the Amir. Asmut-oolah Khan of Lughman has been arrested, and property of his, to the amount of Rs. 60,000, has been confiscated. Muski Alam has also been thrown into prison on a charge of stirring up disaffection against the Amir. Preparations are still active for the Amir's visit to India. Rumour asserts that a native of Samarcand, supposed to be a Russian Agent, is now, and has been for some time, in Kabul, and has been admitted to private interviews with the Amir. He is credited with the design of endeavouring to represent to the Amir the superior attractions of a Russian alliance, to an understanding with the British.

WITH reference to the work of the committee of officers from Madras, Bombay, and Calcutta that has been considering the subject of the dress of the Madras Native Army, the local *Times* says that His Excellency Sir Frederick Roberts has approved of the Bombay uniform, which consists of *Karkee*, and has telegraphed that no action be taken in the matter till his return to Madras. Instructions have, therefore, been issued not to make up the clothing for the native army for 1883-84 until final orders are passed upon the subject.

THE Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in his resolution on the lately published report of the Director of Public Instruction, observes that within the last four years Government expenditure on collegiate education has increased at a quicker rate than expenditure from private sources; and the growing demand for such education has compelled the Government to add to its staff of professors. In Sir Ashley Eden's opinion, it is impossible for Government to keep pace with the growing demand; any further increase of expenditure for the college staff must be paid for by the students themselves.

THE *Pioneer* has the following:—A new use has been found for the old rails which the railway companies are generally very anxious to sell to the first comer. They make excellent telegraph posts, either singly for light lines, or when rivetted together where many wires have to be attached. The Government Telegraph Department are using them freely, and in connection with their introduction a curious story is told. The Department found the rail-posts so cheap that it was a piece of economy to buy up the old rails of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway and ship them from Bombay to Calcutta; and yet at that very time the Great Indian Peninsula Company were actually advertising in London for iron telegraph posts. The Directors apparently were not aware that there were lying in Bombay thousands of good posts in the shape of the worn-out rails which had been condemned, as "old iron," to be sold at the earliest opportunity.

DICUSSING the question of cholera infection, the *Madras Times* writes:—"Mr. Arundel, the President of the Municipality, draws our attention to the washing of clothes, and suggests that all things returned from our dhobies should be, now that cholera is about, fumigated and disinfected before being admitted into our households. The idea is a happy one, and as the process, though simple, is one all ladies or heads of families may not find it convenient themselve to carry out, any intelligent person, taking a suitable place and undertaking to do this for people would, no doubt, find the industry sufficiently remunerative. The suggestion of Mr Arundel, however, points directly to the fact that our dhobies are in this matter not to be trusted, and, considering how many changes of clothes this warm climate necessitates, the idea is anything but comforting. The Sanitary Commissioner, Dr. Furnell, has also drawn attention to this matter. In his forcible but not overdrawn report on the insanitary state of Madras laid before Government last year, we find the following: 'In this sub-division (the first) is another place we visited called Nagatha Covil Paracheri, which presents much the same features as the Tinnevelly Settlement, but not quite so pronounced. This place is interesting as being the abode principally of the domestic servants of the European community. Many an unknown case of zymotic sickness in the otherwise healthy quarter of the upper classes might easily be accounted for if we knew more of the dwellings of the servants.' These words are very startling, and the whole matter may well make us ponder."

GENERAL WILKINSON has been appointed to the Peshawur Brigade Command. The steps in the 4th and 9th Bengal Cavalry all go in the regiments. Lieutenant-Colonel Firth is appointed Commandant of the 16th Native Infantry, and Major Palmer, 2nd-in-Command. The 17th Native Infantry, Colonel Rutherford gets command, and Colonel Thompson, late Assistant Adjutant-General of the Sirhind Division, 2nd-in-Command. In the 38th Native Infantry Lieutenant-Colonel Martin is appointed Commandant, and Lieutenant-Colonel Tottenham, 2nd-in-Command.

THE SEYCHELLES ISLANDS AS A COALING STATION.

WE have been requested to publish the following letters:—

s. s. Hankow, Prince's Dock, Bombay, Jan. 7.

SIR,—Having recently arrived from Natal with troops, I desire to state for your information that I called at Mahé Seychelles for coals on the 21st December, and obtained them from Mr. F. Cheyron, Consul for France, and contractor to the Admiralty. He had in stock about 1,000 tons, and intends keeping not less than 2,000. I found a good harbour and easily accessible. Water and fresh provisions in abundance. This port, being on the direct route for steamers from the Cape, Natal, &c., to Bombay and India generally, is much to be preferred to the Mauritius as a coaling station. Calling at the latter place involves two days longer on the passage, has troublesome quarantine laws, and is in evil repute during the hurricane season. Mahé on the contrary, is never visited by gales, and is exceptionally healthy. Coals were a little higher in price at Mahé than at the Mauritius, but the increase in price was more than compensated by the gain in time.

Enclosed herewith is a letter from Mr. F. Cheyron. By giving this information publicity you will confer a favour on the shipping community.—Yours, &c.

W. SYMINGTON,
Master s. s. Hankow.

Secretary, Chamber of Commerce, Bombay.

(Enclosure.)

Mahé Seychelles, Dec. 22.

SIR,—As a certain quantity of steamers and transports are running between India and Natal, I think it would be advisable to bring to the knowledge of all concerned that Cardiff coal of best quality is to be found at Seychelles. The Seychelles islands being on the way, it would in many occasions, be very useful to the navigator to know that fresh provisions and water may be got here, without being exposed to the dangers of the hurricanes. The harbour is quite safe, and the place quite healthy.

Will you be kind enough, in the interest of all, to give some publicity to this notice. By doing so, you will much oblige.—Yours, &c.

F. CHEYRON,
Agent to the Admiralty Contractor.

To His Honor the President of the
Chamber of Commerce, Bombay.

MR. F. MATTHEW.

THE *Indian Railway Service Gazette* presents with its last number the likeness of Mr. F. Matthew, the popular Agent of the B. B. and C. I. Railway. The *Gazette* also publishes the following biographical notice:—Francis Matthew, M.I.C.E., whose portrait we present to our readers with this issue of the *Gazette*, is the Agent and Chief Engineer of the Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway, and Honorary Colonel of the B. B. and C. I. Volunteers. He is the only surviving son of the late Francis Matthew, Esq., of Rock View, Cashel County, Tipperary, who was brother of the Rev. Theobald Matthew, better known as "Father Matthew," the apostle of Temperance, who received the thanks of the British Parliament and an autograph letter from Her Majesty the Queen for his labours in the cause of Temperance.

Mr. Matthew, the subject of this sketch, commenced railway work in 1847 as a pupil under Mr. Joseph Burke, senior district engineer on the establishment of Sir John Macniel, F.R.S. After four years of Mr. Burke, during which time he was engaged in the construction of the Dundalk and Inniskillen and the Waterford and Kilkenny railways, Mr. Matthew was engaged as an assistant engineer on the establishment of William Dargan, then one of the greatest—if not *the* greatest—railway contractor in Great Britain. He remained in this service for six years, during which time he was engaged as engineer on the Limerick and Foyness and the Limerick and Ennis railways, and was subsequently for two years and a half manager-in-chief of the Cork Tunne Works of the Great Southern and Western Railway. These works he brought to a successful completion in 1857, and in January, 1858, he left England for India under a covenant with the Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway Company, by whom he was engaged as an assistant engineer. In June, 1860, he was promoted to the rank of Resident Engineer, and the following month he was appointed Acting Deputy Chief Engineer, in which appointment he was confirmed on the 1st January, 1861. In May 1864 he was appointed Chief Resident Engineer for the entire B. B. and C. I. Railway, and on the 14th March, 1876, he was appointed Agent of the line, still retaining the appointment of Chief Engineer. Previous to being appointed Agent Mr. Matthew had officiated in that capacity on two occasions, for six and eighteen months respectively.

The secret of Mr. Matthew's success lies in an eagerness for information and a search for knowledge, with an invincible determination to overcome all difficulties. He is a gentlemen and scholar, beloved by his subordinates and esteemed by his fellowtownsmen. In 1866 he was appointed a Justice of the Peace for the town of Bombay: and he is a representative of the Justices on the Municipal Corporation. In 1874 he was appointed one of the Trustees of the Port of Bombay by the Government, and on the reconstruction of that Board was re-elected by the Chamber of Commerce. He was also elected Chairman of the Committee, and Deputy Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce. In 1874 he was appointed a Justice of the Peace for the town of Bombay: and he is a representative of the Justices on the Municipal Corporation. In 1874 he was appointed one of the Trustees of the Port of Bombay by the Government, and on the reconstruction of that Board was re-elected by the Chamber of Commerce. He was also elected Chairman of the Committee, and Deputy Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce. In 1874 he was appointed a Justice of the Peace for the town of Bombay, and is now a member of the Board of Accounts connected with the University. He is a member of the Committee of the Bombay Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Colaba Company, and President of the Sasssoon and Parell Mechanics' Institutes. In 1879 he was appointed to succeed Colonel Pitt-Kennedy as consulting Engineer to the Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway Company in England, but his services could not be spared at that time from Bombay.

Mr. Matthew possesses in a remarkable degree many of those characteristics that made his uncle "Father Matthew" so famous. As an example of devotion to duty and unwearied perseverance to fit himself for the performance of that duty, he presents an example for young engineers who aspire to rise to the highest ranks in their profession."

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Municipal Corporation, 3 p.m.—Election of Chairman.

Divine Service on board the s. s. Clan Maclean, Prince's Dock, 8 p. m.

Gaiety Theatre, 9 p.m.

Band 7th N. I., Apollo-bunder, evening.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived on the 14th:—Culna (s), Vingoria; Hadhersage (s), Aden Yesterday:—Helios (s), Hongkong; Teddington (s), Suez; Sahara (s), Port Said.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed on the 14th:—Cathay (s), China, &c.; Arrow (s), C. and Cutch; Vestal, Mozambique; Amizade, Mozambique; Keerata, Roodrin, Cochin; Nyanza (s), Zanzibar; Bedouin (s) Antwerp; Scindia (s), Calcutta; Brocodaile (s), Marseilles; Regina, Colombo.

MUSIC AT THE APOLLO BUNDER.—The following programme of music will be played by the band of H. M.'s 7th Regiment N. I. at the Apollo Bunder this evening:—

Overture	Tancredi—Rossini.
Barcarole	Fischerlied—Lange.
Selection	Norma—Belini.
Valse	Casino Tanze—Gung'l.
Song	The Message—Blumenthal.

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The s. s. Cathy left on Friday, and s. s. Knight of the Bath left dock on Saturday.

EAST BERAR.—Major Smyth, R. E., Superintending Engineer H. P. W. D. (recently joined), is now on a tour of inspection in East Berar.

A VAGRANT.—A. C. Shortt was on Saturday last declared a vagrant by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee and sent to the Government Work-house.

DHOND-MANMAD RAILWAY.—A passenger writes: "Why are there no lights in the carriages by the train that arrives at Manmad at 10 p. m.? This should be seen to at once by the G. I. P. R. Co."

POSTAL NOTICE.—Mails for Aden, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Inhambane, Quillimane, and Delagoa Bay, per extra s. s. Baghdad, will be closed at the General Post Office at 12 noon to-day, the 16th instant.

THEFT AT BHOLESHWAR.—Asharam Issundass residing at Punchayet-wady, Bholeshwar, reported to the police on Friday last the theft of currency notes and cash of the collective value of Rs. 404 from a cupboard in his premises.

GIVING FALSE INFORMATION.—Changia Rama was on Saturday last convicted by Mr. W. Webb of giving false information of theft to the police with intent to cause annoyance and injury to Luximee, woman. He was fined Rs. 30, or in default to undergo six weeks' rigorous imprisonment.

FORT GRATUITOUS DISPENSARY.—The total number of patients treated in the dispensary during the last month was 4,926. This gives a daily average attendance of 158. The number of patients newly admitted during the month was 925. The total number of children was 1,538. The prevailing diseases were fever, diarrhœa, dysentery, worms, &c. The number of persons vaccinated was 104.

NIZAM'S STATE RAILWAY.—The total earnings on this line during October last amounted to Rs. 35,768, or an increase of Rs. 3,907 over the figures for the corresponding month last year. The increases are chiefly due to grain (Rs. 1,307), military and revenue stores (Rs. 2,971), and seeds (Rs. 2,135). The decrease of Rs. 4,079 is put down to cotton, sugar, salt, drugs, and stone. During the month 7,633 tons were carried, against 4,905 tons in the same month last year.

CRIMINAL BREACH OF TRUST.—Sewram Harrichund was on Saturday last convicted by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee of criminal breach of trust in respect of sundry gold ornaments of the value of Rs. 1,300, the property of Shantaram Narrayen. The ornaments were borrowed by the prisoner in the month of February, 1881, to attend a marriage ceremony, but instead of returning the articles, pledged them to a Marwarree. He was sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment.

THE THEOSOPHISTS' MEETING.—Mr. K. M. Shroff writes to us in correction of an error in our report of a speech delivered by him at the Theosophists' meeting on Thursday evening:—You report that I said that the missionaries got 16 lacs of rupees from the tax-paying poor of the country. I never said anything of the sort. What I stated was that the ecclesiastical expenditure in the country cost 16 lacs of rupees, paid from the Indian Treasury, and that went to enrich the British clergy class. I quoted Sir Richard Temple in connection with the statement. I also said that the missionary establishments in all India cost something like 50 lacs of rupees, and this was made up by large annual grants from the various foreign missions in England and America.

MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS.—The Government hired steamer Culna, 1,533 tons, Captain A. B. Cave, arrived in Bombay harbour on the 14th instant from Vingorla, which port she left on the 13th instant. She will sail for Porebunder on the 22nd instant with family and heavy baggage of E. 2nd R. A. and details and; from Porebunder to Kurrachee, with 6 officers, 1 lady, 2 children, 153 men, 6 women, and 13 children, (European), 15 men, 73 women, 107 children, 133 followers (Natives), 115 horses and 7 bullocks, of the E 2nd R. A. She will sail from Kurrachee to Porebunder, with 7 officers, 177 men, 12 women, and 20 children (European), 68 women, 54 children, 133 followers, 119 horses, and 7 bullocks, of the M. 1st R. A; and arrive in Bombay on the 30th instant.

POLICE COURT TRANSLATOR.—After an experiment of twelve months, the Government has sanctioned the appointment of Mr. Baba Laxmanjee as Translator to the three Presidency Magistrates' Courts in addition to his duties as Chief Interpreter. All vernacular documents used as exhibits in those courts will now be translated by him. This arrangement will expedite the disposal of cases, which had formerly to be postponed on account of the delay caused by getting translations made, and involve less expense, as the scale of remuneration fixed at one rupee for a folio of ninety words. Mr. Baba Laxmanji holds a certificate of competency from Mr. Jas. Flynn.

CHILDREN'S FETE AT BARODA.—A correspondent writes to us that H. H. the Gaekwar gave an entertainment to the children of Baroda last Monday. A large tent was put up in the public park, and was handsomely decorated with flags, plants, and flowers. The little guests arrived about three o'clock in the afternoon, accompanied by their parents, and the fun of the fete soon commenced. There were State elephants in attendance to carry the youngsters about the park, and merry-go-rounds, swings &c., which were made free use of. There were "athletic sports" also,—races, jumping, and a tug of war. About five o'clock tea was served in the tent, and the children paid close attention to the cakes, &c., which were liberally provided, for half an hour or so after their healthy exercise. Miss Watson was present, with her aunt Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Watson being prevented from attending by indisposition.

WORKING OF THE C. D. ACT IN POONA.—Government have recently issued a Resolution in which the working of the Act within the Cantonment limits of Poona has been characterised as most unsatisfactory. Mr. Plunkett's special attention has been called to this fact, and he has been asked to utilise the services of the most able and energetic Inspector available.—*Deccan Herald.*

A NOVELTY IN POONA.—It is an unusual sight to see sailors in Poona. Two of these gentlemen are, however, at present here, on a visit to some of their relations in the barracks. They visited Agha's shop last Thursday evening, where the natives crowded around them, and descanted upon their dress and the penknife dangling at their side.—*Deccan Herald.*

MACLEAN'S GUIDE TO BOMBAY.—We have just received the seventh edition of Mr. J. M. Maclean's "Guide to Bombay." The completeness and usefulness of this work have already been abundantly noticed by the Indian Press, and the success with which it has met has been a proof of its value to strangers arriving in Bombay. The present edition, we are told, has undergone extensive and careful revision, and descriptions have been added of the Hindoo Temples, Mahomedan Mosques, and Parsee Fire Temple.—*Indian Daily News.*

MESSRS. RICHARDSON AND CRUDDAS.—A handsome illustrated catalogue issued by Messrs. Richardson and Cruddas, the eminent iron merchants and engineers of Bombay, may be classed as quite equal to the productions of English and American firms of the same order, the engravings being as artistic, the descriptions as clear, and the letter-press as well executed, as anything of the kind we have seen. The catalogue contains nearly every article manufactured in metal that can be thought of, from a boiler to a hoe; and the scale on which the factories of this firm are established may be seen by a reference to the introduction, by which it appears that the buildings of the workshops and metal mart cover an area of over 12,000 square yards. Worked by three stationary engines, the fitting shops contain 60 machines, for lathes, planing, slotting, screwing, sawing, &c. The smiths' shops contain three steam hammers and 49 forges. The boiler shops contain 6 punching and shearing machines, 5 plate-rolling mills and 1 steam riveter. The foundries, one 250 feet by 65 feet the other 200 feet by 65 feet, contain 6 cupolas capable of melting 40 tons of metal and 4 brass furnaces capable of melting 25 cwts. of brass daily. The firm employs on an average 1,000 mechanics of all kinds, and the whole is managed by 10 European assistants under the supervision of the heads of the firm. The existence of those factories at Bombay marks the growth of private enterprise in this country, which can but tend to increase its wealth and develope its resources.—*Civil and Military Gazette.*

MATRICULATION PASS LIST FOR 1881.

Elphinstone High School	20
Poona High School	23
St. Mary's Institution, Bombay	20
Belgaum Sirdar's High School	19
Rajaram High School, Kolapore	18
Dharwad High School	16
Ahmedabad High School	14
Fort High School	13
Free General Assembly's Institution, Bombay	13
Sir J. J. Parsi Benevolent Institution	11
Kattiawar High School	11
Surat High School	11
Baroda High School	10
Satara High School	9
Robert Money Institution	8
Nassick High School	7
Surat Mission High School	7
Haldrabad High School	7
Bombay Proprietary School	7
Bahadoorkhanjee High School Junagad.	6
Narayen Juggernath High School, Karachee	6
Scottish High School, Byculla	5
Byramjee Jeejeebhoy High School, Thana	5
Ahmednuggur High School	5
New English School, Poona	5
Bishop's High School, Poona	5
Belgaum London Mission High School	5
Amraoti High School	3
St. Mary's School (Poona)	3
General Assembly's Institution, Bombay	3
Broach High School	3
Nariad High School	3
Bhavnagur High School	3
Poona Mission Institution	2
Dhulia High School	2
Ratnagari High School	2
Karwar High School	2
Grammar School, Kurrachi	2
Savantvari English School	2
John Connon Scottish High School	2
Ahmedabad Irish Presbyterian Mission High School	2
Chondanadi High School	1
Akola High School	1
First Grade Anglo-Vernacular School (Miraj)	1
Shikarpore High School	1
Gogha High School	1
Poona Victoria School	1
Shore Anglo-Vernacular School	1
Indore English School	1
Sir Cawasji Jehangir N. J. Madrasa	1
Indian High School	1
Haidrabad Mission School	1
Private Tuition	35
Total	387

HIGH COURT.—JANUARY 14.

(Before the Hon'ble Sir CHARLES SARGENT.)

A CLAIM FOR TWENTY-SEVEN LAKHS OF RUPEES.

CHARLES AGNEW TURNER *vs.* KESSOWJEE NAIK.

THIS suit is brought by the plaintiff, the Official Assignee at Bombay, and Assignee of the estate and effects of Nursey Kessowjee, the firm of Nursey Kessowjee and Co. to recover from the defendant the sum of Rs. 27,21,411-12-11, with interest from the 13th January, 1879 at 9 per cent. per annum. Mr. Jardine and Mr. Russell, instructed by Messrs. Craigie, Lynch and Owen, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Lang and Mr. Inverarity, instructed by Messrs. Hearn, Cleveland and Little, for the defendant.

Mr. Lang, in continuing his address on behalf of the defendant, remarked that his learned friend had tried to make much of an alleged admission of the defendant that the firm had made transfers of shares and other things in his favour. Mr. Jardine had suggested that transfers were questionable transactions and should be struck out. Mr. Lang shewed that the transfers were *bond fide* transactions instead of being in any way fraudulent and collusive as alleged, and that they were in reality more beneficial to the firm than to the defendant. Except the evidence of the defendant before Mr. Justice Kemball in the Insolvency Court, which did not support the plaintiff's view of the case, the plaintiff had only put in a transfer entry of Rs. 63,000, and the only evidence he called was that of Premchund Roychund. Mr. Lang said that, in proving the case which he was instructed to prove, he would rely mainly on the evidence called by the plaintiff himself; and the learned counsel submitted that, if he did so, the court would not allow the plaintiff to discredit his own witnesses. The defendant had distinctly told the firm that, if they chose to sell his shares, they must sell them for cash; and that if, for purposes of their own, they sold them for credit, the responsibility must be theirs. Nursey Kessowjee and Co. used the moneys they raised on defendant's shares for their own purposes. They lent the money to

SALES BY AUCTION.

BENNETT AND COMPANY
No. 3, APOLLO-STREET.

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On TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, the 17th and 18th January, sale commencing at 6-30 a. m. on each day, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by public auction at his residence on Cumballa Hill, a collection of crotons, ferns, roses, bignonias, and other choice plants and flowering shrubs, the property of C. E. Fox, Esquire.

Catalogues are published and the plants are now on view.

On FRIDAY, the 20th instant, at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the Parsonage, Mazagon, behind the Sudder Adalat, the very valuable and handsome french-polished black-wood and teakwood carved and plain household furniture, best electro-plated ware, very rich crockery and glassware, a handsome solid mahogany grand square pianoforte by "Collard and Collard," first-rate pictures and chromos, rich table ornaments, handsome China and Japanese vases, a handsome English-built Victoria, by Silk and Son, two handsome fast trotting bay Arab horses, sets of plated mounted harness, a collection of choice and rare plants in tubs and pots, &c., &c., the property of Rev. G. C. Reynell.

Catalogues will be published, and the property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

ON COMMISSION SALE.
A handsome 4-seated Barouche in first rate order.
BENNETT & CO.
Bombay, 16th January, 1882.

MENESSE AND COMPANY.

On THURSDAY, the 19th instant, Messrs. MENESSE & Co. will hold their Usual Weekly Auction Sale at their rooms of a quantity of grey, colored, and white piecegoods, twist, &c., &c.
10 cases colored prints.
6 bales grey Shirtings.
5 " Dhooties.
2 cases White Dorias.
2 " " Checks.
3 cases damaged Roofing Canvas.
On account of Esoofally Abdoolally.
Ø A. 10283 in a square—1 case German Silver.
On account and risk of Premjee Soondersee—
1 case Chintz.
On account and risk of Abdoolally Dawoodkhan.
160 in a diamond—J S E—125/136—12 cases Toilet Soap.
On account and risk of Esoofali Mamoojee.
J H—797 in a diamond—1/12—12 cases Plate Glass.
On account of whom it may concern—
8 Bales damaged yarn.
MENESSE & Co.
Bombay, 16th January, 1882.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & CO.

SALE of valuable landed property on the east side of Nagdevi-street.

On WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of January, 1882, at 4 p.m., Messrs. MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON and Co. will sell by Public Auction on the premises by order of mortgagee Thacker Devjee Premjee, Esqr., by virtue of the power of sale vested in him by an indenture of mortgage bearing date the 31st day of May, 1879, and on account and risk of mortgagors, Bawunjee Vulleebhoy, Dosmun, Bawunjee, Mahomed Bawunjee, Abdoola Bawunjee, and Succoor Bawunjee, the undermentioned valuable landed property, viz:—

All that piece or parcel of fazundaree land or ground whereof Hussoon Mahomed and Ebrahim Mahomed are fazandars with the messuage, tenement, or dwelling house built and standing thereon, being on the east side of Nagdevi-street, commonly known as Barbhaya Mohlastreet, without the Fort of Bombay, in the sub-district of Mandvie, containing by admeasurement 167 square yards or thereabouts, and bounded on the east by a sweeper's passage, on the west by the said Nagdevi-street, on the north by property of Chand Peroo Butcher, on the south by the property of Shaik Hoosein, and which premises are assessed in the Books of the Collector of Assessment under No. 101, and were formerly and are now in the occupation of the above mortgagors and their tenants.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply at the office of Messrs. Hore, Conroy, and Brown, Solicitors to the mortgagee or to the undersigned.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & Co.
Bombay, 16th January, 1882.

CRAWFORD AND COMPANY,
2, MARINE-STREET, BOMBAY.

USUAL AUCTION SALE.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, the 16th instant, at 2 P. M., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms—
10 bales grey shirtings.
10 " dhoties.
7 cases prints.
5 " white shirtings.
2 " millinery comprising ball dresses, sets of cuffs and collars, belts, rosette, &c.

By order of the Administrator-General the effects of the late Mr. E. Tong, consisting of wearing apparels and sundries. The effects of the late Mr. H. Brook, consisting of silver open-faced watch with gold Albert chain.

By order of the Executive Commissariat Officer, 287 horse jools.

On account and at the risk of Aga Mahomed Esmal Hajee, Zainal Abadeen:—
1 Lot Japanese ware consisting of card plates, bowls, tea and coffee services, tea cups and saucers, flower vases, ash cups, toilet boxes, and sugar jars.

On account and at the risk of Memon Noor Mahomed Dadu.
J. 8215—1 case 60 gross snuff boxes, ex s.s. Helen Newton.
98-99—2 " 220 gross snuff boxes, ex s.s. Hartlepool.

On account of the concerned.
6 bales mock twist, No. 30s damaged.
7 " yellow twist, No. 30s.
10 " brown paper, sea water damaged.

Sale of Piece-goods at the Godown of Messrs. Ewart, Latham & Co. within the Fort.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, the 16th instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by public auction at the godown of Messrs. Ewart, Latham and Co.—
A quantity of grey, white, and coloured piece-goods.
In lots to suit purchasers.

SALE OF PIECE-GOODS AT THE GODOWNS OF MESSRS. RALLI BROTHERS, IN RAMPART-ROW, FORT.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, the 17th instant, at 2 p.m. Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by public auction, at the godowns of Messrs. Ralli Brothers, Fort.

A quantity of grey, white, and coloured piece goods, prints, and dhoties in lots to suit purchasers.

SALE OF CHOICE AND RARE CROTONS.

On SATURDAY, the 21st instant, at 7 A. M., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Parel, near the G. I. P. Railway workshops:—
A choice collection of well-grown crotons, about 50 varieties.
The property of C. R. Hawkins, Esq.
Catalogues will be published, and the plants will be on view 2 days before the sale.

On SATURDAY, the 21st instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by public auction at No. 2, Mazagon, next door to Hamilton's Hotel, the valuable and handsome french-polished blackwood and teakwood household furniture, best plated ware, rich crockery and glassware, a solid mahogany square pianoforte, by Schroder, &c., the property of Dr. A. Bocarro.
Full particulars will be given hereafter.

SALE OF INDIAN MADE GOLD AND SILVER JEWELLERY.

Under instructions from the Administrator-General, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by public auction at their rooms on MONDAY, the 23rd instant, at 3 p.m., the following gold and silver jewellery belonging to the estate of the late Dr. E. Morton. Gold swamy bracelets, necklaces neck chains, lockets brooches and solitaires and silver necklaces, lady's belts, bracelets, bangles, &c.
On view on and after TUESDAY, the 17th instant.

SALE of valuable landed property on the Kalbadevi-road.

On WEDNESDAY, the 25th instant, at 4 p. m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by public auction on the premises by order of the mortgagee, Munmohundas Luckmidas, and on account and at the risk of the mortgagors, Parvutteebai, daughter of Runchode Bhogilal, and wife of Nanashaw Gungadass, and the said Nanashaw Gungadass in pursuance of the power of sale given in the Indenture of mortgage, dated the 15th day of December, 1880.

All that piece of land with the messuage or dwelling house standing thereon, situate on the western side of Kalbadevee-road, in the Island of Bombay, in the sub-district of the Registrar of Bhooleshwar, assessed by the Collector of Municipal taxes under No. 57, and bounded on the East by the Kalbadevie-road, on the west by the property of Veerjee Khetsy, on the north by the property Veerjee Khetsy, and on the south by the Cavel-Street, and which said hereditaments and premises have been formerly and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the said Parvutteebai.

For further particulars and condition of sale application may be made to the undersigned.

HIGH COURT.—O. O. C. J.
SUIT No. 496 of 1880.

Hajee Cassum Hajee Gunney, Hajee Hassum Hajee Gunney, Tyeb Hajee Gunney, Javabai widow of Hajee Gunney Jeewa, and Fatmasaie, widow of the late Joosub Hajee Gunney, all of Bombay, Mahomedan Inhabitants, residing without the Fort of Bombay.....Plaintiffs.

vs.

Khoja Datoobhai Ebrahim, of Bombay, Mahomedan Inhabitant residing at Khoja Moholla, without the Fort of Bombay.....Defendants.

Under instructions from Mr. Khunderow Moorjee, attorney for the abovenamed defendant, and by virtue of the decree made in this suit on the 16th of June, 1881, and under the power of sale to the said defendant reserved by the several mortgagees in the said decree referred to, Messrs Crawford and Co. will sell by public auction on the premises.

On THURSDAY the 26th day of January, 1882, at 4 p.m.
Lot No. 1.

All that piece of Government ground, together with the messauge or dwelling house and chawl standing thereon, situate on the west side of Shaik Abdoolla Doctor-street, in the sub-district of Bhooleshwar, without the Fort of Bombay, assessed under No. 5, and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 2,836 and 2,849 containing by admeasurement 60 feet in length and 35 feet in breadth or thereabouts and bounded on the east by the said Shaik Abdoola Doctor-street, on the west by the public passage, on the north by the house of Khoja Akbal, and on the south by the public passage, and which said premises were formerly and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the said Memon Joosub Gunney.

On FRIDAY, the 27th day of January, 1882, at 4 p.m.
Lot No. 2.

All that piece of Government ground, together with the messuage, dwelling house and premises comprised in [illegible] with the compartments, stable and shop standing thereon, situate on the south side of Shaik Abdoola Doctor-street, in the sub-district of Bhooleshwur without the Fort of Bombay, containing by admeasurement [illegible] square yards or thereabouts, registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 2,849, and the said [illegible] 401 square yards or thereabouts, and bounded on the west by [illegible] the property of [illegible] on the east by the said Bapoo Doctor-street, on the north by the Mutton-Row, on the south by the property of [illegible] Kessal, and on the south by the property of Joosub Hajee Gunney, which said premises were formerly in the occupation of Mooljee Ludha and now in the occupation of Goa Kudi and others.

On SATURDAY, the 28th day of January, 1882, at 4 p.m.
Lot No. 3.

All that piece of Government ground, together with the dwelling house standing thereon, situate on the east side of Baloo Doctor-street, in the sub-district of Bhoolehwar, without the Fort of Bombay, formerly in the occupation of Moola Ragoobhoy Adamjee and Memon Hassumbhoy Hussonbhoy, and now in the occupation of the said Memon Joosub Gunney, registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Nos. 250 and 2,508, and assessed under Nos. 4 and 5, containing by admeasurement 189 and sixsixth square yards or thereabouts, and bounded on the East by the sweeper's passage, on the west by the said Baloo Doctor-street, on the north by the house of Hajee Wareen Bawa, and on the south by the house of Borah Sulaiman Essoofbhoy.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Mr. Khunderow Morojee, attorney for the above-named defendant, at his Office No. 41, Meadow-street, Fort, or to the undersigned.

CRAWFORD & Co.
Bombay, 16th January, 1882.

No. S. M. 5—6505 of 1881-82.

TO BE SOLD, by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Indian Government Dockyard, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th January, 1882, and the days following, a quantity of old unserviceable MARINE STORES, consisting of Awnings, Sails, Canvas, Rope (Coir and Europ.), Boats, Booms, Masts, Yards, Iron, Brass, Copper, Lead, Steel, Iron Tanks, Cases, Casks, Tins, &c. Terms of sale as usual, and for further particulars apply to the Marine Storekeeper.

G. O'B. CAREW, Captain, I. M.,
Superintendent of Marine.
I. G. Dockyard Bombay, 6th January, 1882.

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NOTICE is hereby given that an AD-INTERIM DIVIDEND on Rupee Shares at the rate of 20 per cent. per annum for the half-year ending 31st December, 1881, has been declared and made payable on and after the 23rd instant on production of share certificates at the Company's office, 9, Hornby-row.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED from 16th to 22nd instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Local Committee,
JAMES H. LATIMER,
Secretary in Bombay
Bombay, 13th January, 1882.

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Laubenheimer.....	Rs. 16 8	Rs. 19 8
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Do. do. do. (1 doz. pts.)	"	4 4

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Swiss Bitter from Alpine Plants	Rs. 24 0	Rs. 27 0
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